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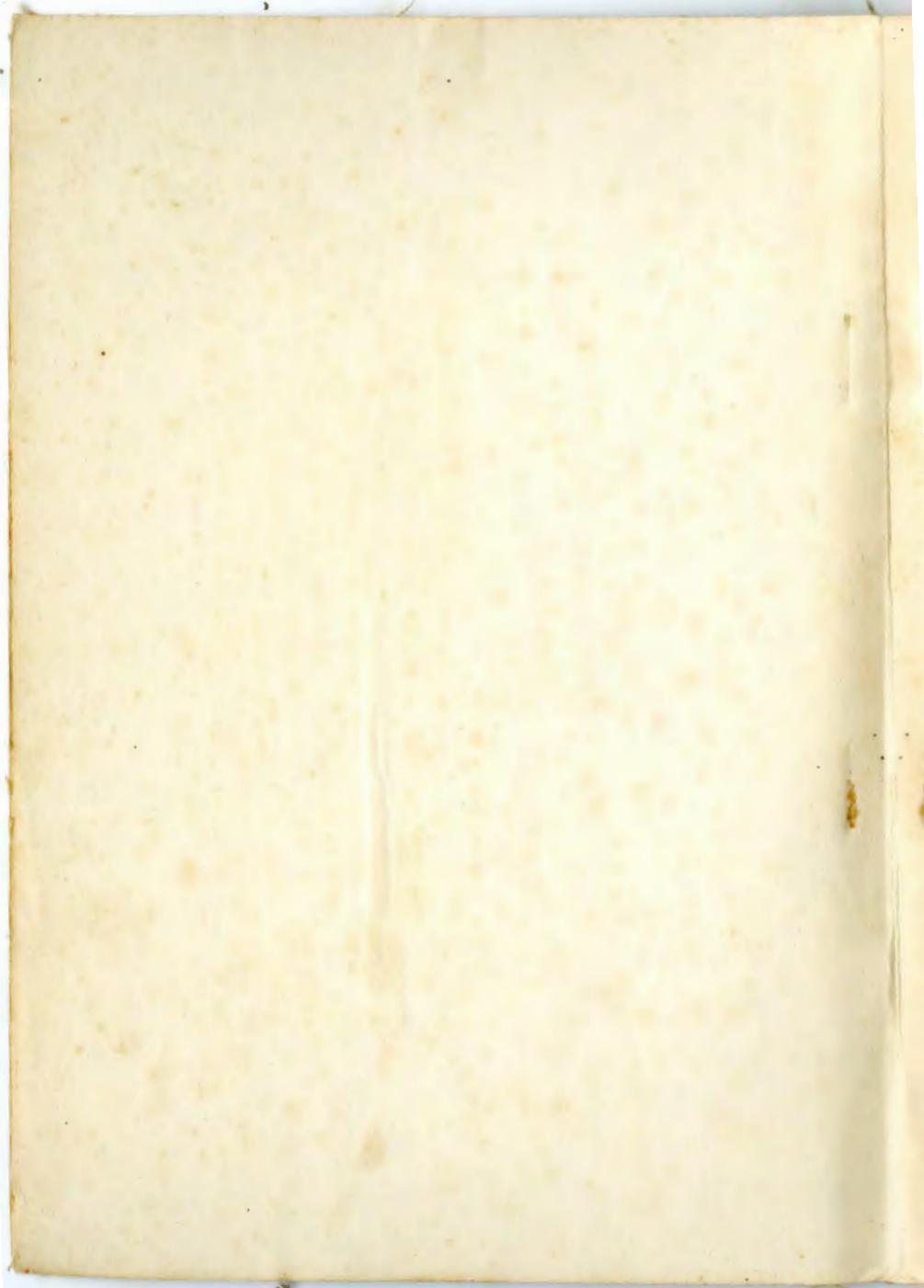
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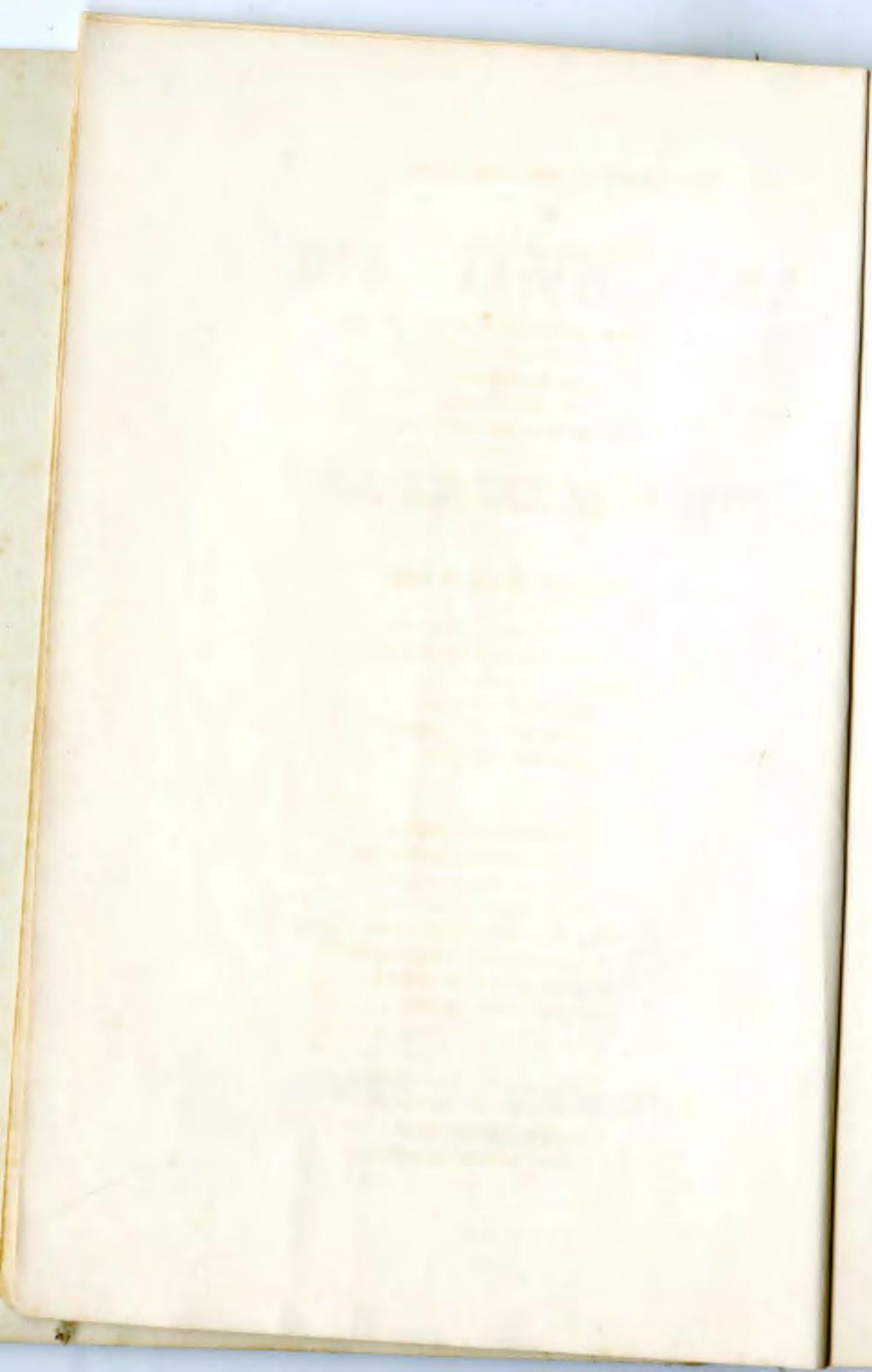
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**CHURCHES OF CHRIST
NIGERIA**



Ndi Efesos 5:23

1. Nzukọ-Kraist nw'otu nt' ala
Jisus b'onye nwe ya;
Oji miri na okwu
Ke ya okik' ọhu;
O si n'igwe bia chọ ya
Ibu nwunye-nsq-ya;
O ji ọbara gba ya,
We nwua n'ihi ndu ya.
2. Nrọputa nke mba nile,
Ọ b'otu nim' uwa;
Isi' okwu nzoputa—ya
Otu Nn'otu okwukwe;
Nagozi otu aha,
Neri otu nri-nsq,
Nagbas' ot' Olil' anya,
Eyikwas' amara.
3. Itu-n'anya na nleda
K' eji hu nmegbu—ya
Nkewa n' ozizi—ugha
Nakpagbu ya n'ezie
Ma ndi nsq neche kwa nche,
Akwa ha—"Ole mgbe?"
Anyasi nke ikw' akwa
Gaghọ utut' ọñu.
4. Nim' ahuhu na ndogbu,
N'uzu nke agha-ya,
Oneche nmezu nile
Nk' udo ebigh-ebi;

Rue mgbe զhu otuto
K'eki գոզ'i anya ya;
Nzukօ uku gemer; i
Nwe kwa iz' ike ya.

5. N'uwa ya na Nna b'otu,
Chuk' Atq nime otu;
Neso kwa ndi nez' ike
Na nnwekq di utq
Ndi nsq ndi no kwa n'qnu
Jisus, ny' ayi amara
K'ayi yiri ha, ndi nwayo
We biyere I n'elu! Amen.

2 *Christ is made the sure foundation*

1 Ndi Korint 3:11

1. Kraist bu ntq-ala di ike,
Kraist, isi nkume-nkuku
Nke Chineke r̄oputara
Nejik̄o Nzuk̄o n'otu
Iye'aka Zaion mgbe nile
Na ntukwasi-obi ya.
 2. N'ulo nka eb'ayi nakpq Gi,
Chuku, bia n'ubqchi ta;
Were kwa obi qma Gi
Nuru aririq ndi nke I
Wusa ngozi-Gi zur' oke
Nim'aja-ya mgbe nile.
 3. N'ebe a nye ndi oru Gi dum
Aririq nke ha nario
Ka ha soro ndi ngozi Gi

Jid' ihe ha riötara;
So kwa Gi nime otuto
Bur' eze mgb'ebigh-ebi.

4. Otuto, nsopuru nile
Diri Chineke, bu Nna,
Di-kwa-r' Okpara na Mø Nsq
Atø nim'otu mgbe dum,
Onye d'ike nim' otuto
Rue n'uwa ebigh-ebi. Amen.

Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty 3

Nkpughe 4:8 S. 22.

1. Nsø, Nsø, Nsø! Chuku-Okike,
N'Isi ututu ayi gabu abu nye Gi;
Nsø, Nsø, Nsø! Onye ebere,
Atø nim' otu, Chuku di ngozi.
 2. Nsø, Nsø, Nsø! Ndi nsø neto Gi,
Natuda okpu ha n'iru oche eze Gi;
Cherubim na Serafim nada n'iru Gi,
Onye nori, nanø, ganogide.
 3. Nsø, Nsø, Nsø! Gi di ebube,
Anya ndi nmehie apugh ihu otuto Gi;
Q bu nani I di nsø: Q digh ony' զզ,
Zur' oke n'ike, na ihu n'anya.
 4. Nsø, Nsø, Nsø! Chuku-Okike,
Qlu Gi dum n'igwe n'uwa geto aha Gi
Nsø, Nsø, Nsø! Onye ebere,
Atø nim' otu, Chuku di ngozi. *Amen.*

Ndi Filipai 2:9

S. 663

1. Aha Jisus di ok'utø
Na nti onye kwere;
O nakasi ya n'ahuhu Nachupu egwu ya.
2. O nagwo ɔria nkpur' obi,
Najur' obi nsogbu;
O bu nri nke onye-agu,
Nenye izu ike.
3. Nkume ebe m'wuru ulom
Qtam n'ebe ngbabam;
Ulo akum di mgbe nile,
Juputa n'amara.
4. Jisus, Eyim, Onye nazum,
Ezem Ony' ozizim
Onye-nwem, na Ndum na Uzøm
Nar' otuto m'ji bia.
5. Obim jiker'ike adigh
Echichem jur' oyi
Ma mgbe M'gahu Gi k'I si di
Aghaghm it'ozu Gi.
6. Ka m'kwusa ihu-nanya Gi
Site n'ikem nile
K'aha Gi nke tøkar' utø
Nye obim ndu n 'onwu. *Amen.*

Jenesis 1:1

1. Chuk' Ony' Okike,
Nke Uwa n'el'igwe,
Onye ker' anyanwu,
Nelekötam.
2. Onye ker'ohia,
Osisi na Nkpuru,
Ehihie na abali,
Nelekötam.
3. Onye ker' anwu,
Qnwa na kpakpando,
Mgbe ahuhu biara, Q
Nelekötam.
4. Ya ziri Nwa Ya,
K'Q nwua na Kalvari
Ma M'dabere Ya, Q
Nelekötam.
5. Mgbe m'ruru n'igwe,
Ma hu ndi-eyi-Ya
M' geso ndi nsø bua: Q
Lekötaram! Amen.

1. Nkume mgbe ebigh-ebi
Kwe ka m'zoro nime Gi;
Ka miri na qbara

Nke si n'akuku I puta,
Buru ih' isacha njom,
Nzoputam n'ike nke-ya.

2. Q bugh ọlu nke akam
Gemezu iwu nke-Gi
M'jisiwod'ike mgbe dum,
Nakwa kw' akwa mgbe nile
H' apugh iwepu nmehiem;
Nani Gi gazoputam.
3. Agbam aka biakute I
Amakurum obe Gi;
Agbam ọtọ nim'obim,
Nyem uwe, yerem aka;
Abiam n'isiyi n'inyi;
Onye nzoputam, sacham.
4. Ebe m'nek'ume ndu nka,
Mgbe mechir' anyam n'ọnwu,
Mgbe m'gala n'uwa ọzọ,
Hu Gi n'oche ikpe Gi
Nkume nke ebigh ebi
Kwe ka m'zoro nime Gi.

7

I gave my life for thee.

Ndi Galetia 2:20

S. 621

1. Anwurum n'ihi gi,
We wusi ọbaram,
K'ewe gbaputa gi,
K'i ba na ndu ọhu
Anwurum n'ihi gi;
Gini ka gi merem ?

2. Ejim ọtut' arọ
N'ik' ọgwugwu n'akwa
Ime ka gi we nwe
Ọnụ ebigh-ebi
Enyerem arọn dum
Ole ka gi nyerem?
3. Ulo ihe nke Nnam,
Och'ezem mara nma,
Ka M'rap'ru bia n'uwa
Ino n'ihe-nwuta
M' rapuru ha n'ihi;
Gini k'i rapuru?
4. Ahuhu M'huru gi,
Ibu obi d'ilu,
Ha nanaputa gi
N'ọnwu ebigh-ebi
Ahuhu ka m'huru i,
I gahurum gini?
5. Ewetaram nye gi,
Site n'ulom n'igwe,
Nzoputa na udo,
Na ihu-n'anya nkem,
Akum ka M'wetara i,
I wetaram gini?
6. Onye nwem, ka m'nye ndum,
Ka m'nye arọn nile;
Ka m'topu agb'uwa,
N'ihi Gi, Chinekem,
Gi nyerem Onwe-Gi
Le, enyem I onwem.
Le, enyem I onwem. Amen.

J̄n 15:13

S. 648

1. Ihu-n'anya J̄sus jirim,
N'ihu ahuhu n'osisi,
K'Q buru Onye-ngbaputam,
Madu apugh ik̄!

Chorus:— Ihu n'anya di ebube!
 Ihu n'anya di ebube!
 Ihu n'anya J̄sus jirim,
 Madu apugh ik̄.

2. O bur'ibu-obi d'ilu
Le, okpu ogwu okpuru,
Ka m'we di kwa ndu mgbe nile,
Madu apugh ik̄—!
3. Udo m'nwere nim'Onye-nwem
Onye nario n'iru Chuku
Olu Ọbara Ya-luru
Madu apugh ik̄!
4. Ọnu O wetara ndi-Ya,
Iz'ike ayi nenwe na Ya,
Na ezi olile-anya,
Madu apugh ik̄ ! *Amen.*

9.

When I survey the wondrous cross

Ndi Galetia 6:14.

S. 115

1. Mgbe m'nele anya n'osisi,
Ebe Eze nke ndu nwuru,
Uru akum na nganga nkem,
Agurum ha n'ihe-efu.

2. Chuku ekwelam nya isi
Ma Ọbugh n'ọnwu Kraist, Onye-nwem,
Ih'efu nke natọm utø,
Arapuwom ha n'ihi Ya.
3. Le, site n'aru-Ya nile,
Ihu-n'anya nerudata;
Ọ di mgbe ejị ogwu me
Okpu-eze di nma otu a?
4. Ma uwa nile buru nkem,
O zugh inye Ya onyinye,
Ihu-n'anya d'uku otu a
Kwesiri inwe ndum nile. *Amen.*

Redemption! O wonderful story 10

Ndi Efesos 1:7 S. 16.

1. Ge nti! akukọ di ebube!
Ozi ọma n'ihi mu na gi;
Na Jesus wetar'ayi ngbaghara,
Ọ kwusia ugwo-ayi n'obe.

Chorus:—Kwere Ya, Ony'ọjọ kwere Ya,
Nara ozi ọnụ ahu,
Tukwasi obi-gi na Jesus,
Nzọputa k'Ọ nenyé gi ta.

2. Ọ zọput' ayi n'ọnwu k'ayi di ndu,
O me k'ayi ghø umu Chuku;
Otu nsacha di n'ihi ndi-njø
Nsacha n'Ọbara nke Jesus.

3. Njø agagh-enwe ike ọzø,
Ọ bu ezie n'Ọ ganwa gi;
N'ihi na Kraist, site n'ọnwu-Ya,
Gemeb'ike nile nke njø.
4. Ugbu a nara ebere Chuku,
Gba ọsø jeku Jisus ta;
Ọ gakpobata onye biara,
Ọ digh onye Ọ gachupu. *Amen.*

11 *The Head that was crowned with thorns*

Abu Qma 8:5

S. 141

1. Isi nke kpururi ogwu
Nekpu otuto ta;
Okpu-eze di ẹbube
Jisus Dinkpa kpuru.
2. Oche nke kachasi elu
Bu oke-Ya n'ezie
Eze nd'eze Onye-nwe ọra
Ihe ebigh-ebi.
3. Ọnụ ndi nile bi n'igwe,
N'ọnụ ndi bi n'uwa
Ndi mara ihu-n'anya-Ya
Ndi kwere n'aha-Ya.
4. Ha kere oke n'ihere
Na ngozi nke obe;
Aha-ha di mgb'ebigh-ebi,
Ọnụ-ha bu nk'igwe.
5. Ọnwu ihere Ọ nwuru
Nenyé ndi nke-Ya ndu
Obe-ya bu Olil' anya,
Na otuto nke-ha. *Amen.*

Nkpughe 1:7 S. 161

1. Le! O si n'igwe narida,
Ony' egburu n'ihi ayi;
Otutu ndi nsq neso Ya
Nabu abu nke nmeri;
Haleluya!
Chuku abia ib' Eze.
2. Anya nile gahu kwa Ya,
N'ebube-Ya di uku
Ndi nke kpapuru Ya, re Ya,
Kpogide Ya n'osisi,
Geji akwa
Hu ezi Mesaia-ha.
3. Ihe-ama nke qnwu-Ya
Di kwa n'aru qma-Ya
Nka nakpatara ndi nke-Ya
Qñu di mgb' ebigh-ebi;
Anya gini
K'ayi ji le apa-ntu-Ya!
4. Ngapputa, nk'eler'anya-Ya
Aputawo n'ebube;
Ndi nsq-Ya, ndi uwa juru,
Geje zute Ya n'elu,
Haleluya!
Ubøchi Chinek' abia.
5. Amen! k'øra madu to Gi,
N'elu oche-eze-Gi,

Were ike na ebube
Nara ala-eze-Gi
Biko, bia ngwa,
Chinek' ebigh-ebi abia! *Amen.*

13

There is a green hill far away

S. 1134

Mak 15:20

1. Ugwu di n'ebe di anya,
N'azu ot'obodo,
Ebe akpogburu Jisus,
Nke nwuru n'ihi ayi.
2. Ayi apugh ikq akukq
Ihe-nwuta nke-ya
Ayi kwere n'qbu nani ayi
K'Q huru ahuhu.
3. Q nwuru k'agbaghara ayi,
K'ayi we ghq ndi qma,
K'ayi la n'igwe n'ikpe-azu,
N'ike qbara-ya.
4. Q digh onye qzq puru
Ikwu ugwo nke njq,
Nani ya pur' imegh'uzq
Nke igwe k'ayi bata.
5. Q huru ayi n'anya nk'uku
Ayi gahu-kwa-ra ya,
Tukwas'obi n'qbara-ya,
Nalu olu nke-ya. *Amen.*

I Ndi Kɔrint 15:54

1. Jesus di ndu! gi ɔnwu,
I pugh ime k'ayi tua egwu,
Jesus di ndu gi ili,
I pugh ime k'ayi buru oru
Haleluya!

2. Jesus di ndu ! rue ugbu a
Onwu bu ɔn'uzo nke ndu;
Nka gewepu egwu-ayi
Mgb'ayi gagabiga uzo-ya
Haleluya!

3. Jesus di ndu ! Onwur'ayi:
K'ayi diri nani Jesus ndu;
K'ayi biri n'obi ɔcha
Neto Onye-nzoputa-ayi
Haleluya!

4. Jesus di ndu! ayi mara
Odigh ihe gekewap'ayi
Ndu, ɔnwu, na Ekwensu,
H'apugh inap'ayi n'aka-Ya.
Haleluya !

5. Jesus di ndu ! ewere
Oche-eze nile nye ya;
Ayi puru'iru eb' O no
So ya buru eze n'igwe.
Haleluya! Amen.

Matiu 28:6

1. Haleluya, O biliwo !
Jisus arigo n'elu!
Tikpo kwa ike nke ɔnwu,
M'Ozi buanu, madu za:
O biliwo, O biliwo
Di ndu Q pugh inwu ɔzq.
2. Haleluya, Obiliwo!
Onye-isi-ayi uku
Zite Mø Nsq onye-ama
Bu ɔnu-nekwuru-ayi
O biliwo, O biliwo!
Ikpe amagh ayi ɔzq.
3. Haleluya, O biliwo!
Qnwu enwegr ik'ɔzq,
Kraist, bu kwa nbilite-n'ɔnwu
Gakpote ndi-Ya n'ili
O biliwo, O biliwo
Q di, ndu Eze nabia. *Amen.*

John 16:7

S. 191

1. Tutu Jisus ala n'igwe,
Q rapuru ndi-ya
Onye-ndu bu onye-nkasi
K'Obiyer'ayi.
2. Q biara n'oyiyi nduru,
Nke gbasara nku-ya,

Iwus'udo n'ihu-n'anya
N'elu uwa.

3. O ji ire Ọku-ndu bia,
Izi ndi-ya ihe;
N'ike nka anahugh anya
Dik' ifufe.
4. O biara inye ayi ike
Ony'Ọbia amara;
Obi Ọbula kwere ya
Bu ulo-ya.
5. Olu nwayo-Ya k'ayi nanu
Dik' ifuf' anyasi;
Nanapu ayi nmehie n'egwu
K'ayi Cheta igwe.
6. Ezi Omume nk'ayi nwere,
Nmeri njo Ọbula,
Echiche Ọma nile bu
Nani nke-ya.
7. Mo nk'idi-Ọcha n'amara,
Le ayi any'ebere;
Me k'obi-ayi buru ulo-I
Nke kwesiri I. Amen.

O Lord of life, where'er they be

17

Nkpughe 14:13

1. Onye-nwe-ndu, eb' Ọbula
Ha njo n'ebigh-ebi nke-Gi
Ndi-ayi nwuru nadiri Gi,
Haleluya!

2. Gi nw'obi dum, n'ebe nile,
Ha nez'ike n'okpuru Gi
Ha keta otu nchebe-Gi
Haleluya !
3. Okwu-I b'ezie, uzq-I di nma;
"Ntu lara ntu," m'ayi bukari
Abu nke ntukwasi-obi
Haleluya!
4. Ndi nwuru na Gi nq n'qñu,
Egwu agagh-atu h'qzq;
N'qñwu na ndu, ha nwe ngozi
Haleluya! *Amen.*

18

To Thy temple I repair

Abu Qma 122:1

1. Agajem ulo-I, Chuku,
Ikpø isi ala natqm,
Mgbé m'gezute n'ulo nsq-I
Kraist n'ir' och'ebere-ya.
2. Ya mere k'ayi di n'otu,
Ya mere ka m'ghq nwa-Gi;
Abba, Nna, nyem amara
Ichq, iru-I n'ulo-Gi.
3. Mgb' anabu abu, Otuto-I,
Biko, tqpu ire nkem;
K'obim wer'qñu gozie
Gi bu ezi-Omumem.

4. Mgbe ndi nsø nekp'ekpere,
Chuk' ihu-n'anya, nurum;
Nuru, Mø nke-Gi nario,
Nuru, Jisus nario kwa.

5. Mgbe ndi-ozi-Gi nezi
Ngbaghara n'udo n'aha-I,
Me ka m'site n'olu-ha
Nu okwu-Gi si n'igwe.

6. Mgbe m'si n'ulo-Gi lata,
K'obim nekp'øku nimem,
Ma m'anyasi me ka m'si
Mu na Chuku akpa ta! *Amen.*

There is a Home Eternal

19

2 Ndi Kɔrint 5:1 S. 924

1. Otu ulo ebigh-ebi di
Nke mabur'onwe ya,
Ebe qnú di utø
Nadigh agabiga;
Ndi Mø-Ozi nabu abu
N'iru oche eze mgbe dum
Ole mgbe m'geji hu gi
Ulo qma di n'igwe!

Chorus:—Ulo mara nma!.....

Ulo mara nma
Ulo nke Kraist Jisus
U...lo mara nma.

2. Ihe ọma nadi adi,
 N'ulo ahu mara nma
 Umu nta nabu abu
 Neto Jisus n'ebe ahu
 Ha nabu abu ọṇu
 N'iru oche-eze mgbe dum
 Ole mgbe m'geji hu gi
 Ulo ọma di n'igwe!
3. M'geso nd'agbatara,
 Bi n'igwe mgbe dum;
 Kraist bu Onye nzoputam,
 M'gagh atu egwu ọnwu
 Anyam gaje ihu Ya
 K'Q nq n'oche eze ọma
 Mgbe ahu ka m'geji hu Gi
 Ulo ọma di n'igwe. *Amen.*

20

There is a city bright

II Pita 3:13

1. Obodo ọma di
 Ọdigh ihe ọjọ
 Nwere ike iba,
 Nwere ike iba,
 Nime ọnụ uzọ ya.
2. Gi ka m'biakutere,
 Nwa aturu Chineke
 Mem ka m'di ọcha
 Biko zoputam
 N'aka nmehiem nile.

3. Nna ayi site na mgbe nka
Me ka m'buru nwa Gi
Wer'ike-I jidem
Wer'ike-I jidem
Ka m'ghara imehie.

4. Rue mgbe m'nq n'etiti
Ndi agbatara,
Di ọcha na nsq,
Di ọcha na nsq
N'obodo ọma Gi. *Amen.*

Breathe on me, Breath of God.

21

John 20:22

1. Kuyem umē, Chuku;
Mejuem na ndu ọhu,
Ka m'we hu ihe-Gi n'anya,
Neme kwa uche-Gi.
2. Kuyem ume, Chuku;
Rue mgb'obim di ọcha,
M'we nacho ihe I nacho
Nogide nime ya.
3. Kuyem ume, Chuku,
Rue mgbe m'gabu nke-Gi,
Anu-arum nka we nenwu
Ka ihe nk'el'igwe.
4. Kuyem ume, Chuku,
Ka m'ghar'inwu anwu,
Ma soro I di ndu zur'oke,
Nke mgbeibigh-ebi-Gi. *Amen.*

1. Mọ Nṣo, ezi Onye-ndu!
Nanọ nso onye nke Kraist;
Wer'aka-I dur'ayi nwayo,
Nd'ije n'ala bu ọhia,
Nd'ike gwuru nañuri,
Nanu ol'utọ nke-Gi,
Si, "Onye fur'uzo, bia,
Sorom, agamedula I!"
2. Eyi kasi nma nọ nso
Iyere ayi aka mgbe dum;
Arapukwal'ayi n'egwu,
Nasọ isi n'ochichi,
Mgbe ok'ifufe nefe,
Ike n'olil'anya agwu,
Si, "Onye fur'uzo, bia,
Sorom, agamedula I!"
3. Mgb' ubochi ọlu-ayi gagwu,
Mgbe ayi neche iz'ike,
Mgbe ekpere na igwe,
Nani ha fofoduru ayi,
Mgb'ayi gaf'osimir' ọnwu,
Natukwasi Kraist Obi,
Si, "Onye fur'uzo, bia,
Sorom, agamedula I!" Amen.

1. Bia Mọ Nṣo, Nduru nke igwe,
N'ike ndu-Gi nile,

Muye ọku ihu-n'anya,
N'obi-ayi jur'oyi.

2. Ayi n'abu abu-ayi n'efu,
Ike nbili adigh,
Otuto-ayi naju oyi,
Ekpera nanyi ayi.
3. Chineke, ayi gadigide
N'ume-ngwu di otu a?
Ihu-n'any'ayi ajuk'oyi,
Ma nke-I ekpok'oku!
4. Bia, Mọ Nsọ, Nduru nke igwe,
N'ike ndu-Gi nile,
Musa ọku ihu-n'anya-I
Nke gafunwu nke-ayi. *Amen.*

Jesus I have promised

24

Jon 12:26

S. 606

1. Jisus, ekwerewom nkwa
Ife I rue ọgwugwu,
Biko, nọ nsom mgbe nile,
Onye-nwem n'Eyi nkem.
M'gagh-atu egwu agha
M'l nodu n'akukum,
M'gagh-ejehie n'uzo-Gi
M'I buru onye-ndum.
2. Ka m'mata na Gi nọ nsom,
Uwa nọ nsom mgbe dum;

M'nuhuh ih'isu-ngongò,
M'nanu Ol'ɔnwunwa.
Nd'irom nɔ nsom mgbe nile,
Nɔ nimem, n'akukum;
Ma Jisus, bia nsom kari,
Gborur'obim nmehie.

3. Biko ka m'nuru okwu-I;
Olu d'ezi nwayo,
Nke kar'olu agu-njø,
N'olu nnupu-isim.
Kwue k'I we kasiem obi,
Gham ume, jidekwam,
Biko, kwue, me ka m'ge nti,
Gi onye-nche obim.

4. Jisus, Gi kwere nkwa nye,
Ndi nile neso Gi,
N'ebi I nɔ n'otuto,
Eb'ahu ndi-I ganø,
Jisus, ekwerewom nkwa
Ife I rue ɔgwugwu,
Nyem amara ka m'neso,
Onye-nwem n'Eyi nkem.

5. Biko, ka m'hu nzø-ukwu-I,
Zoye nkem nime ha,
Olil' anya na m'geso
Bu nani n'ike-Gi.
Biko, kpɔm dɔrɔm nedum,
Nejidem mgbe nile,
Kpɔbatakwan n'el'igwe,
Onye-nzotam n'Eyim. Amen.

1. Nkpa-Gi nakpam mgbe dum,
Nna nk'amara,
Qdigh olu ka nke-I
Genyem udo.

Chorus:—Nkpa-Gi nakpam, Q nakpam
Qnakpam mgbe nile;
Onye-nzoputam, goziem!
Abiakutem Gi.

2. Nkpa-Gi nakpam mgbe dum,
Nanoyerem!
Ike onwunwa ada
Mgbe Gi no nso.
3. Nkpa-Gi nakpam mgbe dum,
N'øñu, n'ufu,
Me ngwa bia biyerem,
Ndu gadi nma.
4. Nkpa-Gi nakpam mgbe dum,
Zim oçchichø-I;
Ka nkwa-Gi nar'Uba
Mezue n'imem.
5. Nkpa-Gi nakpam mgbe dum,
Onye di Nsø!
Mem Onye-Gi n'ezie,
Nwa di ngözi! Amen

1. Apughm iwezuga Gi,
Eyi ndi fur'efu!
I ji Ọbara gbatam
N'oke Ọnu-ahia,
Ezi omume-I, ngbaghara-I,
N'Ọbara, Gi gabu
Olil'anyam na nkasim,
Otutom n'agugom.
2. Apughm iwezuga Gi,
Guzo nani n'onwem,
Enweghm ike n'idi-nma,
M'Ọbu amam-ihe,
Ma Gi, Onye-nzoputam,
Bu ihe nile nkem,
Ike nim'adigh, ike
Diri ndi dabere I!
3. Apughm iwezuga Gi!
Eyi Ọzọ amagh
Ọchichọ di ngbu nk'obi,
Ikwuputa nkpa, ya
Onye Ọzọ apugh iba
N'ebe-nzuzo nk'obim,
Nye ya ndaju na nkasi,
Onye-nwem, m'çbugh Gi!
4. Apughm iwezuga Gi
Arọ ngabiga,
Qdigh anya mgbe m'gefe

Miri nk' ọnwu nanim.
Ma I gagh-agbanarim;
M'ebili maghari,
Amawom n'Igano nsom,
Nagwam, si, "Q bu mu !" *Amen.*

Jesus, still lead on

27

Opupu 33:14

1. Jisus dugide
Rue mgb'ayi gez'ike;
Ma uzọ gba ọchichiri,
Ayi geso ghar'itu egwu,
Wer'aka-I dur'ayi
Rue ala nke Nn'ayi.
2. Ma uzọ jọ njọ,
M'ony'iro nọ nso,
Ekwela k'egwu jide ayi,
Ekwel'ayi rap'olil' anya,
Site n'ahuhu
Ayi gala n'ulo.
3. Mgb'ayi nachọ nkasi
N'oke ihe-ngbu,
Mgb'ọnwunwa ọhu nesogbu,
Me ka ntach'obi zue oke,
Gosi ayi ala
Eb'akwa nadigh.
4. Mgb'ih'utọ nk'uwa
Puru n'anya-ayi,
Mgbe ayi si n'ọnwu hu igwe,

Mgb'agbaputar'ayi na nmehie
Si n'ulo qma-I
Kpor'ayi nye Chuku.

5. Jisus, dugide
Rue mgb'ayi gez'ike,
Onye-ndu nk'igwe, nedu ayi
Nakasi, neyer'ayi aka,
Rue mgb'ayi geguzo
Nime ala nke Nn'ayi. *Amen.*

28

Teach me Thy Way Oh Lord

Abu Qma 86:11

1. Chuku zim uzq Gi,
Zim uzq-Gi
Biko, yerem aka,
Zim uzq-Gi!
Ka m'site n'okwukwe
Neje ije nk'oma,
Wer'ihe-Gi nedum,
Zim uzq-Gi!
2. Mgbe m'nwe obi abua,
Zim uzq-Gi!
Mgbe alulu nakwu,
Zim uzq-Gi!
Mua nime igwe oji,
Nim'olu, n'ihe-ngbu,
Dozie uzqm nk'oma.
Zim uzq-Gi!
3. Mgbe nile m'nadi ndu,
Zim uzq-Gi!

N'ebé nile m'ganø,
Zim uzø-Gi!
Rue mgbe øsq gagwu,
Rue mgbe ije gebi,
M'we kpur'okpu-eze,
Zim uzø-Gi! Amen.

Stand, Soldier of the Cross

29

Olu Ndi Ozi 22:16

1. Gi ony'øgu obe,
Guzo, kwe nkwa nke-gi,
Na i gag'uwa n'ih'efu
N'ihi aha Jisus.
2. Bilie, k'eme i baptism
Sachapu nmehie-gi,
Gi na Chineke gba ndu ta,
Kwuput'okwukwe gi.
3. Inwegh onwe-i ugbu a,
O bu Kraist nwere gi,
Aha-gi na nke ndi nsø dum
K'edekørø n'otu.
4. Yir' ih'agha Chuku,
Guzogid' Ekwensu,
Ogu ahu gesi ike,
Ma nmeri gabu nk'ayi.
5. Okpu-nmeri genwu,
Ab'øñu di utø,
Mgbe okwukwe gatøgb'olu-Ya
N'ukwu nk'Onye-nwe-ayi. Amen.

Abu Qma 23:1

S. 562

1. Jehovah bu Onye nazum,
Obi ọma-Y'adigh-ebi,
Ọ digh ihe kɔrɔm ukọ,
Abum nke-Ya mgbe nile.

2. Ebe miri nke ndu neru
K'Ọ nedu nkpuru-obim,
N'ebe ahiahia ndu neto
K'O ji nri nk'igwe nazum.

3. Akpafuru n'uzọ nke-Ya
Ọ chɔrɔm n'ihi-n'anya,
Ọ tukwasirim n'ubu-Ya,
Wer'ok'ọṇu bulagam.

4. N'onyiny' ọnwu atughm egwu,
N'ihi na Gi noyerem,
Nkpa-n'aka-I nakasim obi,
Obe-Gi n'irum nedum.

5. N'iru nd'irom k'I nenyem nri,
Tekwam manu amara,
Ọṇu kachasi ọṇu dum
Si n'iko-I rudataram.

6. E, idi-nma n'ebere-Gi
Gagbasom na ndum nile,
Ez'onye-nche ka m'neto Gi
Nim'ulo-I mgb'ebigh-ebi. *Amen.*

31 'Twas on that night when doomed to know

I Ndi Kɔrint 11: 24—25

1. N'abal' ahu k'arara Ya
Nye n'aka iwe nd'iro dum,
Ka Onye-nzoputa uwa
Ji nara ogbe achicha.
2. Mgb' O nyesiri Ya ekele,
Bu Onye nwe uwa n'igwe,
Q nyaw' ih'atu nk' aru-Ya,
Nye ndi nes'uzo-Ya nasi:—
3. "Aru nke anyawara nye
N'ihi unu, nara, rie, di ndu:
Mgbe nile unu geme ya,
Necheta ihu-n'anya nkem."
4. Q nara iko n'aka-Ya,
Nye Chuku otuto ozo,
K'Omiko nenwu n'obi-Ya,
Nzoputa si n'qunu-Ya bia.
5. "Obara nkem k'awusiri
K'Q sacha obi nke nmehie,
Qbugba-ndu nka gosiri
Amar'ebigh-ebi nk'igwe.
6. Ihu-n'anya jur'iko nka,
K'ora nua manya nsø ahu,
Nañunu ya n'qgbø nile,
Necheta oge qonwu nkem." *Amen.*

1. Were ndum, Nna, k'oburu
Ih'edoror nsø nye Gi,
Were ubochim nile,
Ka ha neru n'otuto.
2. Wer'akam ka ha neme
K'ihu-n'anya-Gi si cho,
Were ukwum, me ka ha
Di nfe n'ije-ozi-Gi.
3. Were olum, ka m'nabu
Abu nye nani Ezem,
Were irem, me k'o jue
N'ozi oma si na Gi.
4. Were akum na egom,
O nwegh nke gafodurum,
Were uchem n'ikem dum,
Me ka O si di Gi nma.
5. Wer'ochichom, me ya nke-I,
O gagh-abu nkem ozø,
Were obim: Gi nwe ya,
O gabu och'eze-Gi.
6. Onye-nwem, ihu-n'anyam
Ka m'togborø n'ukwu-Gi,
Wer' onwem, agamabu
Nani nke-Gi mgbe nile. *Amen.*

1. Qbara anu dum,
Ndi-Ju ji chu aja,
Emegh k'obi ojø di nma,
Ma sachapu njø-ya.
2. Kraist, Nw'aturu igwe,
Nebupu nmehie-ayi,
Ya bu aja di ok'qñu
Kari aja nile.
3. Okwukwem getiye
Aka-ya n'isi-Gi,
Ka m'neguzo ikwuputa
Ih'qø dum m'mere.
4. Nkpur'obim necheta
Ibu nke I buru,
K'akpogidere Gi n'obe,
Na njø-ya di n'isi-I.
5. Ayi kwere, we ñuria
N'ebupuru njø-ayi,
K'ayi gózie Nw'aturu Chuku,
To ihu-n'anya-Ya. *Amen.*

1. N'ewe a k'ayi nenwe nsogbu,
N'ewe a nzukø nwe nkewa,
Nkewa adigh n'igwe.

Chorus:— O gabu ih'q̄nū,
Q̄nū, q̄nū, q̄nū,
O gabu ih'q̄nū,
Mgbe nkewa nagagh-adi.

2. Ndi huru Jisus n'anya,
Galakuru Ya n'igwe,
Soro ndi nsø n'elu.
3. Umu-nta g'ebi n'igwe,
Ndi ch̄orø nn'ayi n'ekpere
N'ulo-Ya n'uwa nka.
4. Ndi ozizi-ayi gezu kwa,
Na ndi ayi huru n'anya,
Ghar'ikewa զ̄z̄.
5. Q̄nu-ayi gadi uku,
N'ihi n'ayi gahu Jisus
K'Qnø n'och'eze-Ya.
6. Ayi nile geji q̄nū,
Neto Kraist, bu Onye-nw'ayi,
Rue mgbe ebigh-ebi. *Amen.*

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Hush! blessed are the dead

Nkpughe 7:17

1. Ndi nwuru nwe ngozi,
Nez'ike na Jisus,
Ndi tukwasir'isi
N'obi-Ya mgbe nile.

2. Ohu nke ndi ngozi,
Nenwagh ṽchichiri!
Ha hu ihe nk'ihe,
Nke ha huru n'anya.
3. H'agafewo uwa,
Ya na ahuhu-Ya;
Ih'egwu nk'abali,
N'anwu n'ekpo ṽku.
4. Jisus geduru ha
N'eb'ifufe adigh,
Eb'ahihia n'eto
Na nso is'iyi ndu.
5. Nani ayi, ndi no nso
Ili, bu ndi kwara
Ih'oge gar'aga,
N'onyinyo foduru.
6. Olu-ha n'iru-ha,
Ihu-n'anya ha ji—
Na mgbe-ya foduru,
Uwa amgh kwa ha.
7. Ndi nwer'obi-qma,
Nche ikp'azu agwu!
Ayi nakwa n'ihi unu;
Atal'ayi, Kraist kwara!
8. Ngwa Ngwa mgbe Chi g'abø,
Olu oku Jisus
Nke ka ṽnzu n'ike
Gasi, Bilie, nuria! Amen.

Aisaia 53.

S. 736

1. Mgbe ayi ruru n'ahuhu,
Mgbe anya-miri nagb'ayi,
Mgb'ayi n'akwa ndi'-ayi lara,
Jesus, Nwa Devid, nuru.

2. I yir'anu-aru-ayi,
I buru ihe-ngbu-ayi,
I gbapur'anya-miri,
Jesus, Nwa Devid, nuru.

3. I rubew'isi-I n'qonwu,
I wusiw'qbara-ndu,
Adobar'ozu-I n'ili,
Jesus, Nwa Devid, nuru.

4. Mgbe obi neru uju,
Neche nmehie-ya nile;
Mgbe mq-ayi natu egwu,
Jesus, Nwa Devid, nuru.

5. Mgbe atan qonwu n'aku,
N'ihi obi-ayi nala,
Mgb'ubochi ikpe-ayi di nso,
Jesus, Nwa Devid, nuru.

6. I mar'ihere na ngbu,
N'ihi njo n'abugh nke-Gi,
Ma I kwere ibu ha,
Jesus, Nwa Devid, nuru.

7. I gabigara n'ọnwu,
I sachapuru njọ-ayi,
I nọ n'aka-nri Chuku,
Jisus, Nwa Devid, nuru. *Amen.*

There's a land that is fairer than day. 37

I Ndi Korint 2:9

S. 964

1. Ala di mara nma kar'ihe,
Site n'okwukwe k'ayi ji hu ya,
Nn'ayi Chineke, nechere na ya
K'O doziri ayi eb'obibi.

Chorus:—M'emesia, m'emesia,
Ayi gezukọ n'al'om'ahu:
M'emesia, m'emesia,
Ayi gezukọ n'ala ọm'ahu!

2. Ayi ganabu n'ala ọm'ahu.
Ab'utọ ahu nke ndi-ngozi,
Mo-ayi gapu n'ihe-nwuta dum,
Ghara is'ude n'ih'izi'ike.

3. Obu ezi Nn'ayi nke bi n'elu
K'ayi geny'otuto kwesiri Ya,
N'ihi onyiny'ihu-n'anya-Ya
Na ngozi nke n'edo ndu-ayi nsọ. *Amen.*

There is no night in heaven 38

Nkpughe 21:4

1. Abal'adigh n'igwe,
N'uwa-ngozi ahu

Olu agagh-agwu ike,
Olu b'ihu-n'anya.

2. Akwa adigh n'igwe
N'ihi na ndu b'øñu,
Akwa b'otu nim'ihe mbu
Nke gabigasiri.
3. Nmehie adigh n'igwe,
N'etiti ndi-ngozi,
Uwe øcha-ha dizu nsø,
Abu-ha di kwa nsø.
4. Onwu adigh n'igwe,
Ndi ruru n'eb'ahu
Eritawo anwugh-anwu,
H'agagh-anwu øzo.
5. Jisus, bur'Onye-ndu!
K'ayi gafe abali,
Akwa, nmehie nile, n'ønzu,
Ayi we rue n'e'l'igwe. *Amen.*

39

All people that on earth do dwell

Abu Qma 100:

S. 9

1. Madu nile ndi bi n'uwa,
Tobenu Chineke n'øñu,
Werenu egwu febe Ya,
Unu bia n'iru Ya n'øñu!
2. Onye-nw'ayi bu Chuku n'ezie,
Obu nani Ya kpuru ayi,

Q si n'ayi bu aturu-ya,
Obu Onye n'enye ayi nri.

3. Were otuto ba n'ulo Ya,
Were ọṇu ba n'ogige-Ya,
Neto aha-Ya mgbe nile,
O kwesiri ime otu a.
4. N'ihi na Chineke di nma,
Ebere-Ya adigh agwu,
Okwu-Ya n'eguzos'ike,
O gadigide mgbe nile.
5. To Chineke, Onye-Ngôzi!
To Ya, ihe nile n'uwa!
To Ya, usu nke di n'igwe!
To Nna, n'Okpara, na Mọ Nsọ! *Amen.*

Be glad in the Lord and rejoice 40

Abu Qma 68:3 S. 207

1. Nuria ọṇu nime Jisus,
 Unu ndi obi-ha di nma,
 Unu ndi rọtakwara Ya,
 Si nwuta na ir'uju la!

Chorus:—Nuria! Nuria!
 Nuria ọṇu nime-Jesus,
 Nuria! Nuria!
 Nuria ọṇu nime-Jesus.

2. Nuria n'ihi n'Q bu Eze,
 Nachi n'uwa na n'el'igwe,
 Oji okwu-Ya ke ihe,
 Q b'Onye-ngbaputa d'ike.

3. Ma chihie gba ọchichi,
Abali kpuch'iru-igwe,
K'uche ghara iche unu,
Tukwasi obi na Chuku!

4. Nuria ọnu nime-Jesus,
Weren'ubø, n'olu, n'obi,
Netonu Ya n'ibu abu,
K'aleluya nada uda! Amen.

41

I will sing of my Redeemer

I Ndi Kɔrint 6:20

S. 896

1. Agamet'Onye-ngbaputam
N'ihu-n'anya O jirim,
N'Obe k'Q huru ahuhu
Ka m'pua n'qbubu ọnu.

Chorus:—Biko, to Onye, ngbaputam!
Qbara-Ya k'Oji gbam!
N'obe k'Q kwusiri ugwo,.
Me ka m'pua n'oru nmehiem.

2. M'gakø akukø ebube,
Otu Q gbaputaram,
N'ihu-n'anya n'ebere-Ya,
Mgbe m'sur'efu n'oke njom.

3. Agamet' Onye-ngbaputam,
N'akø ike nmeri-Ya,
Otu O si me k'ayi meri
Nmehie, n'qonwu, n'qku-mø.

4. Agamet' Onye-ngbaputam,
N'ihu-n'anya-Ya n'igwe;
Ogbatawom n'onwu, nyem ndu,
Ka m'biyere Ya mgbe dum. Amen.

Jesus Christ is risen today

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| 1. | Jisus Kraist biliri ta,
Ya mere ayi nai'qiu,
O nwuru n'elu obe
K'Q we gbaputa'y i n'oru | Haleluya!
Haleluya!
Haleluya!
Haleluya! |
| 2. | K'ayi were abu tobe Ya,
To Kraist Eze nke igwe,
O nagider'qonwu obe,
K'Q zoputa-ndi nmehie | Haleluya!
Haleluya!
Haleluya!
Haleluya! |
| 3. | Nhuj'anya O hujuru,
Ka O ji natar'ayi ndu,
O b'Eze n'igwe ubgu a,
Ebe ndi-m'ozi nabu | Haleluya!
Haleluya!
Haleluya!
Haleluya! |
| 4. | To Okpara biliri,
To Nna-Ya, bu Chineke,
To Mq Nsq nke di ngozi,
K'ora nile naza si Haleluya! Amen. | Haleluya!
Haleluya!
Haleluya! |

I feel like singing all the time 43

Abu Qma 34:1

S. 218

1. Q dim ka m'nabu mgbe nile,
Emewo k'akwam bje:

N'ahi na Jisus bu Eyim,
Ka m'fe Ya kw'ubochi!

*Chorus:—Ka m'to Ya, to Ya
Mgbe nile!
To Ya, to Ya, ka m'to Ya
Mgbe nile!*

2. Mgbe m'huru Onye-nwem n'obe,
Akporgburu n'ihim,
Akwaram akwa, ma ugbu a,
Anameto mgbe dum.
3. Mgbe ọnwunwa nanwa obim
Ka m'si "Jisus bu nkem"
Anyamiri gagbam n'ezie,
M'anameto mgbe dum.
4. Akukọ Nw'aturu Chuku
Were ọnu-gi kọ—
Ka ndi ọzọ were abu ọnu
N'aga, neto mgbe dum. *Amen.*

44 *Sinful, sighing to be blest*

Luk 18:13

1. Mu, di njo, nacho ngozi,
Nacho ka m'puta n'oru,
Nechere izu-ike:
Chuku, merem ebere.
2. Enweghm ezi agugo,
Nmehie di n'olum nile,
Nani nkpati ka m'nebute:
Chuku, merem ebere.

3. Obi, ntiwa n'ihere
Ekweghm iweli anyam,
Ma Gi mar'ude m'nasu:
Chuku, merem ebere.
4. Site n'obi-nmehie nka
Ka m'gbakuru nani Gi;
Abugh nkem, kama nke-Gi:
Chuku, merem ebere.
5. Onye nq ns'och 'eze-Gi
Ka m'tukwasiri obim;
Enweghm iye aka qzo:
Chuku, merem ebere.
6. Ya ganekwurum qnum,
Ya gasughari okwum;
Ya bu nkem, na n'ihi Ya,
Chuku, merem ebere. *Amen.*

Jesus, my Lord to Thee I Cry

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Ndi Rom 5:6

S. 476

1. Onye-nwem, Gi ka m'kpokuru,
Aghaghdm inwu m'I yeghm aka,
Weruta nzoputa-Gi nso,
Werem otu m'si di!

Chorus:—Werem otu m'si di,
Werem otu m'si di!
Jesus nwurum! bu aririqm,
Werem otu m'si di!

2. Ike adigh, ikpe maram,
Ma I wusirim qbara-I,
I puru imem ka I si chø;
Werem otu m'si di!

3. Apughm ijikere onwem,
Ezi nzubem ka m'mebiri,
Ma zoputam n'ihì aha-I;
Werem otu m'si di!

4. Onye-nzotam, lem n'ukwu-Gi,
Mesom ka O si di Gi nma,
Malite Ọlu-I lusia ya,
Werem otu m'si di! Amen.

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Jesus, lover of my Soul

Aisaia 32:2

S. 227

1. Jisus, Eyi nke obim,
Ka m'gbaba n'okpuru Gi,
Mgb'osimiri nebili,
Mgb'ifufe nefes' ike
Onye-nzoputam, zobem
K'ifufe ndu a gabiga;
Durum ga n'ala udo,
Biko, nara nkpur'obim.

2. Enweghm ebe-ngebab'ozø,
Obim koro n'aru-Gi,
Biko, arapukwalam,
Kwagidem, kasiem obi,
Gibu ntukwasi obim,
Nani I neyerem aka;
Biko, were ndo nku-Gi
Kpuchie isi-qtø nkem.

3. Ihe nile nke m'nacho,
Kraist, ahuzu>wom na Gi,
Palitem, kasiem obi,
Gwø qriam, du ony'isi.
Aha-Gi bu aha nsø,
Ejurum n'aj'omume;
Aghughø di nim'obim,
I juru n'ezi-okwu.

4. Amara-Gi di uku,
O gekpuchi njøm nile,
Me ka miri-øgwugwø
Sacham, debekwam ocha.
Gi bu is'iyi nke ndu,
Ka m'nara miri n'efu,
Suputa nime obim
Rue na ndu ebigh-ebi. *Amen.*

My faith looks up to Thee

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Jøn 1:29

S. 235

1. Okwukwem di na Gi,
Nwaturu Kalvari,
Onye—nzøtam,
Nur'aririøm ubgu a,
Wepu nmehie nile,
Site n'ubøchi ta
K'm'buru nke-I.

2. K'amara-Gi nenyé
Obim ike øhu
Nanu øku.
Eb'I nwuru n'ihim,

K'ihu-n'anyam buru
Oku di nsø nere
Mgb'ebigh-ebi.

3. Mgbe m'nawa ɔhia ndu
N'etiti ahuhu,
Bur' onye-ndum.
Chupu ɔchichiri,
Hichap' anya-miri
Ekwela ka m'kpafue
N'uzø nke-Gi.
4. Mgbe ndum ka nrø gagwu,
Mgb' osimiri ɔnwu
Geruchikwam,
Jesus, k'ihu-n'anya-I
Chupu egwum nile;
Buruem n'elu n'udo,
Onye nzotam. *Amen.*

48 *Through the Love of God our Saviour*

Eklisiastis 8:12

1. Site n'ihu-n'anya Jesus,
 O gadi nma;
 Ebere-Ya enwegh ngbanwe,
 O diwo nma.
 Qbara-Ya di ok'ønu
 Amara-Ya zuru oke,
 Aka nechebe ayi d'ike:
 O gadi nma.
2. M'ayi nagafe nim'ahuhu,
 O gadi nma;
 Nzoputa nke-ayi zur'ezu,

Q diwo nma,
Ayi kwere Chuku, nwe q'nu;
Nime Kraist k'ayi gami nkpuru,
Mo Nso nedu ayi n'idi-nso;
Q gadi nma.

3. Ayi nel'anya echinoma,
Q gadi nma;
Okwukwe nabu n'ahuhu;
Q diwo nma.
Ayi daber'ihu-n'anya Nna;
Jisus negboro ayi nkpa dum,
Ayi di ndu m'obu ayi nwuru,
Q gadi nma. *Amen.*

Trust on trust on believer,

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Aisaia 12:2

S. 811

1. Natukwasi Ya obi-I,
Ma qgu nan'odu,
I gabu onye-nmeri,
Chuku galuru gi.

Chorus:—Kwere! Kwere!
M'abali gb'ochichi!
Kwere! Kwere!
Chi-qububø di nso.

2. Natukwasi Ya Obi-i,
Ok'qunwunwa di nso;
N'elu miri ize-ndu
Q ganya ugbø-gi.

3. Chuku puru izopur'ayi,
 Qbu ezi Eyi:
 Natukwasi Ya obi-i
 We rue n'ikp'azu ndu. *Amen.*

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Give to the winds thy fears

Abu Qma 37:5

S. 561

1. Gi atula egwu;
 Nel'anya Chineke,
 Q nuwo is'ude-i n'akwa-i,
 O gebul'isi-gi.

2. Nime nsogbu nk'uwa,
 Q nakwara i uzø;
 Chere mgbe-Ya, abali nka
 Gebi n'ubøchi qñu.

3. Q nachi ihe dum,
 Ha nanu olu-Ya;
 Olu-Ya nile bu ngøzi,
 Uzø-Ya bu ihe.

4. O setia aka-Ya,
 Gini gegbochi Ya?
 Mgb'Q galuru ndi-Ya qgu,
 Onye gemegide?

5. Wer'ihe dum ny'Eze,
 K'Q narøputara i!
 Q geju i anya, I gasi,
 K'ike aka-Ya ra!

6. I gahu n'izu-Ya
Kariri uche-gi,
Mgb'Q luzuru ọlu ahu
Nk'i turu egwu ya.
7. Gi mara obi-ayi;
Hur'adigh-ike-ayi,
N'ewelite aka-nkuda,
Gba ikpere ume!
8. Kwe k'ayi, na ndu n'ọnwu,
Kwusa ezi okwu-Gi,
N'agbasa ihu-n'anya-Gi,
Na nchebe Gi-nile. *Amen.*

Peace, perfect peace, in this dark world of sin 51

Aisaia 26:3

S. 726

1. Ezi udo, nim'ajọ uwa nka?
Ọbara Jesus neny'udo n'obi.
2. Ezi udo, mgbe ọlu nanyigbu?
Ime uche Jesus bu iz'ike.
3. Ezi udo, n'etiti ahuhu?
N'akuku Jesus nani nkasi di.
4. Ezi udo, mgbe ndi-ayi nanogh nso?
N'aka Jesus ayi na ha nọ n'udo.
5. Ezi udo, ma ayi amagh echí?
Ayi mara Jesus! O nọ n'och'eze.

6. Ezi udo, ma ọnwu nọ nso ayi?
Jesus emeriwo ike ọnwu.

7. O diwo nma, Og'uwa nka gebi;
Jesus gakpọ ayi la n'udo nk'igwe. *Amen.*

52 When peace like a river attendeth my way

Abu Qma 55:18

S. 901

1. Mgb'udo, dik'osimiri, neru n'uzom,
Mgbe nsogbu biara k'ebli;
N'ọnđum Q bula I mewom ka m'si,
“Qdi nma, Q diri obim nma.”

Chorus:—O di nma.....O di nma;
O di nma.....O diri obim nma.

2. Ekwensu gesogbu, ọnwunwa gabia,
Ka m'tukwasi obim na nka:
Na Kraist amatawo na ike adighm,
We wusi Ọbara-Ya n'ihim.

3. Nmehiem-echiche nka n'enye ok'ọñu,
Nmehiem-ha nile, ka ha ra,
Di n'obe Jesus, ebughkwam ha ọzọ!
To Chuku! to Chuku, nkpur'obim!

4. N'ebe m'nọ idi ndu bu Kraist mgbe nile!
O buru na ọnwu abia,
O gagh-ewutam; n'ọnwu dika na ndu,
I genye nkpur'obim udo-Gi.

5. Jisus, o b'obibia-Gi k'ayi nechere;
Ili agagh-ab'ulo-ayi;
Opi nke mo-ozzi! olu nke Chuku!
Olil'anya, n'iz'ike obim!
Amen.

Jesus, the very thought of Thee 53

I Pita 1:8

1. Jisus, echiche bayere I
Nenyé utø n'obi;
Ma ihu iru-I ka utø,
N'iz'ike na nso Gi.
 2. O nwegh qnu nke pur'ikø,
Echiche amagh kwa,
Aha kariri nke-I n'utø,
Onye-nzøput'uwa!
 3. Olil'anya ndi nakwa njø!
Qnú ndi di nwayø!
Ndi dar'ada nenwe nzota,
Ndi nachø-I nwe ngozi.
 4. Ma ndi chötara Ya? madu
Apugh ikøwa Ya!
Ihu-n'anya-Ya, ih'Q bu
Nani ndi-Ya mara.
 5. Jisus, nani qnú nke-ayi!
I gabu ugwo'lù:
Bur'inya-isi-ayi ugbua,
Na mgbe ebigh-ebi! Amen.

1. Umu nke Eze igwe,
Dik'unu n'aga, buanu,
Neto Onye-nzoputa,
Uzo-Ya di ebube.
2. Ayi n'alakuru Chuku
N'uzo nke nn'ayi-ha gara;
Ugbu a ha nwere oñu,
Ayi gesoro n'oñu-ha.
3. Umu Chuku, tienu nkpu!
Unu ganq n'och'eze
Nk'edoziri n'eb'ahu:
Al'eze n'ugw'ol'unu!
4. Umu ihe, weli'anya,
Lenu obodo Zaion,
Ulo ebigh-ebi-ayi,
Ebe ayi g'ahu Jisus.
5. Umu-nna, atul'egwu,
Guzo nso igwe n'oñu!
Jesus Kraist, Okpara Nna,
Si "Unu n'aga n'iru!"
6. Chineke, ayi kwer'ilà,
Were oñu rap'uwa,
Nani bur'ayi Onye-ndu,
Ayi ganesogide Gi! *Amen.*

Abu Qma 48:14 S. 524

1. Nedium, Gi Jehova uku,
Ony'ije n'ozara nka;
Ike adighm, gi di ike,
Wer'aka-I d'ike jidem!
Nri nke igwe,
N'azum rue mgb'afø gejum!

2. Meghe is'iyi di ọcha
Miri-ngwopu si eru;
K'igw'oji n'ogidi-ọku
Dugidem n'ijem nile,
Onye-nzota,
Buru ikem n'otam mgbe dum!

3. Mgbe m'gazø ukwu na Jodan
Chupu egwu nke m'natu;
Ka m'gafe ọnwu n'oku-mo,
Rue ala Kenean n'udo.
Ab'otuto
M'gabuku I mgb'ebigh-ebi! Amen.

Ndi Hibru 9:28 S. 123

1. Ndu di n'ih'ile Ony'akpogburu anya,
Ndu diri gi na mgbe di ugbua;
Le Y'anya, Onye-njø, k'O we zoputa gi,
Ya bu onye eþuru n'osisi.

Chorus:—Le! Le! k'i di ndu!
Ndu di n'ih'ile Ony'akpogburu anya,
Ndu diri gi na mgbe di ugbu a.

2. Gini k'O ji nq̄ ka Onye nebupu nq̄,
M'Q̄ buru na ebogh Jisus nq̄-I?
Q̄bar'isacha nq̄ n'eru n'aru-Y'aña,
Ma q̄nwu-Ya akwugh ugwo-gi?
3. O bugh anya-miri-i m'q̄bu ekpere-gi,
O b'Q̄bara n'ekpuchi nmechie-i;
Ngwa biakute Jisus Onye nebu nq̄-gi.
Wusi-kwara gi Q̄bara-Ya.
4. Enwela ob' abua, n'ihi na Chineke si
N'Q̄ digh ihe fqduru ime,
Na Q̄ biara otu ugbo na uwa nka,
Lusia q̄lu Q̄ malitere.
5. Ngwa, were q̄nu nara Jisus q̄soso,
Ndu ebigh-ebi Q̄ nenyē Gi,
Mara na nkpuru-obi-gi apugh inwu,
N'ihi na Jisus di mgbe nile. *Amen.*

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Revive Thy work O Lord

Habakuk 3:2

S. 309

1. Tute-q̄lu-Gi, Kraist,
Setipu aka-Gi,
Me ka ndi-Gi nuru olu
Nakpote ndi nwuru.

Chorus:—Tute q̄lu Gi, Kraist,
Setipu aka Gi

Me ka ndi Gi nuru olu
Nakpote ndi nwuru.

2. Tute ọlu Gi Kraist,
K'ayi nefe Gi n'ebe a
Biko ridata Nn'amara
Bia gózie ayi ugbu a.
3. Tute ọlu Gi Kraist,
Ka nri ndu nagu ayi,
K'akpiri miri ndu nakpọ
Nkpur'obi ayi mgbe dum.
4. Tute ọlu Gi Kraist,
Welite aha Gi
Me k'ihu n'any'ayi di ọku,
Site na Mọ Nsọ Gi. *Amen.*

Sing them over again to me

58

Jọn 6:63

S. 357

1. Bu-kwaram abu ndia ọzọ,
Okw'ebube nke ndu!
Ka m'hu kari ka nma-ha ra,
Okw'ebube nke ndu!
Okwu nke ndu di nma,
Zim okwukwe n'ọlu!

Chorus:—Okwu Qma! d'itu-n'anya!
Okw'ebube nke Ndu!

2. Kraist, Onye-ńgozi, n'enya-ayi dum
Okw'ebube nke Ndu!

Ndi-njø, genu nti oku'ahu,
Okw'ebube nke ndu!
Enyer'ora n'efu,
N'akpø ayi bia n'igwe!

3. Ol'uñø nke Ozi-qma nakpø,
Okw'ebube nke Ndu!
N'eny'ora ngbanghara n'udo,
Okw'ebube nke Ndu!
Kraist, Onye-nzoputa,
Do ayi nsø mgbe nile! *Amen.*

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Where will you spend Eternity

II Pita 3:10-12

S. 430

Ol'eb' i ganø ebigh-ebi?
Ajuju nka biara mu na gi
Gwam ihe զiza i g'abu
Ol'eb' i ganø ebigh-ebi?

*Chorus:- Ebigh-ebi! ebigh-ebi!
Ol'eb' i ganø ebigh-ebi?*

2. Otutu narø nrø Jisus
Necheghari na njø ha nile
Ha g'eketa ngozi n'igwe
Ol'eb' i ganø ebigh-ebi?
3. I narapu uzø nkpagide,
Neje n'uzø di obosara
Gini ka nsøtu ya gabu?
Ol'eb' i ganø ebigh-ebi?

4. Chegharia kwere Ya ugbu'a
Kwere n'ike amara Jisus
Oziza nke i n'q'nu gabu
Azoputam ehigh-ebi. *Amen.*

Thou whose Almighty word

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Jenesis 1:3

S. 5

1. Chineke, okwu-Gi
K'ochichiri nuru
We gbalaga.
Biko, nur'olu-ayi,
N'ewe n'ile n'uwa,
Ozi-q'ma-I akarugh.
Me k'ihe di!
2. Jisus, I wetara
Na nku ngbaputa-Gi
Ndu n'ih'uzo;
N'agwø nd'oria n'obi,
Nasagheanya ndi isi;
N'aru madu nile
Me k'ihe di!
3. Mo Nso nk'ihu-n'anya,
Nduru nsø n'enye ndu,
N'efes'ike;
Neru n'elu miri,
Neb'oku amara,
N'ochichiri nk'uwa,
Me k'ihe di!
4. Atø nke di ngozi,
Trinity d'otuto,

Juputara
N'amam-ihe n'ike,
N'ihu-n'anya nile;
Eb'uwa soturu
Me k'ihe di.

61

There's not a friend like the lowly Jesus

Jon 15:13

S. 904

1. Odigh eyi nke dika Jisus,
 Odigh otu, odigh otu,
 G'agwo qria nile nke obi ayi
 Odigh otu, odigh otu.

Chorus:—Jisus mar'ahuhu ayi nile
 Q geduru nsotu ubochi
 Odigh eyi nke di ka Jisus
 Q digh eyi nke di ka Jisus
 Odigh otu, odigh otu.

2. Odigh eyi dika Ya n'idi nsø
 Odigh otu, Odigh otu,
 Odigh eyi dika Ya na nwayø
 Odigh otu, odigh otu.
3. Q di ndi nsø biara q rapu ha ?
 Odigh otu, Odigh otu,
 Ma qbu ndi nmehie Q rapu ha ?
 Odigh otu, odigh otu.
4. Q di onyinye dik'onye nzøpu
 Odigh otu, Odigh otu,
 Q gaju inye ayi ulo n'igwe ?
 Q genye, Q genye.

1. Ana-mañuri na Nna Chineke
Kɔr'ihu n'anya Ya n'akwukwɔ Nsɔ
Ihe ebube m'huru n'akwukwɔ Nsɔ
Nke kasi bu na Jesus hum n'anya.

Chorus—M'nañuri na Jesus hum n'anya,
Q hum n'anya, Q hum n'anya,
M'nañuri na Jesus hum n'anya
Jesus hurum n'anya.

2. Obu ezie na m'chefuru Ya kpafue
M'Q nahum n'anya n'eb'qbula m'nq
M'galaghachi n'ihu n'anya nke Ya
Ma m'cheta na Jesus nwuru n'iham.
3. Oburu nani abu nke m'gabu
Mgbe mu g'ahu Eze n'imə nma Ya
Nka gabu abu ebigh-ebi nkem,
Q d'ebube na Jesus hum n'anya. *Amen.*

Why not now? 63

II Ndi Kɔrint 6:2

1. Mgbe ayi n'ekpe mgbe ayi n'ariq
Ebe ihuru ɔchichɔ obi i
Mgbe Nna ayi n'akpɔla i ulo,
I gagh abia nwanne mu?)

Chorus—Gini gbochiri gi
Ibiakute Kraist ugbu a?
Gini gbochiri gi
Ibiakute Kraist ugbu a?

2. Ikpafulwo, ihiewo uzø,
Etuful' ubøchi øzø
Ewepul'iru na Chuku
Nara amara Ya ta.
3. I chøtagh udo na uwa,
Ny'obi nk'esogbuworo,
Biakute Kraist, kwere na Ya,
Udo n'çñu k'i genwe.
4. Biakute Kraist, kwuputa njø,
Bia k'inara ngbaghara,
Tukwasi Y'obi kw'ubøchi
O geche i n'uzø nile. *Amen.*

64 *Courage, brother do not stumble*

I Ndi Kørint 16:13

1. Jis'ike! asula ngøngø
M'uzø-gi gba øchichi;
Ihe di g'edu ndi nwayo!
Tukwasi Chuku obi!
2. Ma uzø jø njø, di egwu,
Nsøtu-ya di kwa anya,
Zøye, n'ike, nadigh-ike,
Tukwasi Chuku obi!
3. K'izuzu øjø la n'iyi,
N'ihe nat'uø ihe!
Ma i nada, m'i nemeri,
Tukwasi Chuku obi!

4. Mad'udodu gakpo i asi,
Ndi ɔzø geleda i anya,
Rapu ha, le anya n'elu,
Tukwasi Chuku obi!

5. Iwu nfe, n'ezi odudu,
Udo, n'ike n'im'obi
Kpakpando neny'ihe n'uzo:
Tukwasi Chuku obi!

6. Jis'ike, asula ngongø,
M'uzo-gi gba ɔchichi;
Ihe di gedu ndi nwayø:
Tukwasi Chuku obi! *Amen.*

Stand up, stand up; for Jesus 65

II Timoti 2:3 S. 680

1. Guzo, guzoro Jisus,
Ndi-agha nke obe!
Bulie ɔkolotø-Ya,
K'Q ghar'ihu iyi.
Si na nmeri rue nmeri
ɔ gedu ndi agha-Ya;
K'O we kpochapu nd'iro,
Ghø Ony'isi n'ezie.

2. Guzo, guzoro Jisus;
Nuru uda opi,
Pua n'ok'øgu n'ubochi
Nke otuto-Ya nka.
Unu ndi dike, so Ya
Imegide nd'iro Ya!
Ebe ih'ize ndu di
K'ike unu puta.

3. Guzo, guzoro Jisus,
Nani n'ike nke-Ya!
Atukwasila obi
N'ike nk'anu-aru,
Yir'ih'agha Chineke,
Neche nche n'ekpere,
Eb'olu di m'ob'egwu,
Aghala ino ya!

4. Guzo, guzoro Jisus!
Ogu gadi nw'oge;
Ta k'uzu-agha n'atu,
Echi b'abu nmeri,
Onye nemer'emer
G'enwe okpu nke ndu,
O geso Ez'otuto
Bur'ez'ebigh-ebi! *Amen.*

66

Christian, seek not yet repose

Matiu 26-41

S. 687

1. "Kristian, achola" ura
Otu a ka Mq Ozi i nekwu
I di n'etiti ndi iro
"Che nche, kpe."

2. Ndi isi na ndi di ike
Nachikq ndi-agha-ha,
Neche mgbe i gagh eche
"Che nche, kpe."

3. Ke ihe-agha-i nk'igwe,
Neyi ya na mgbe nile;
Ekwensu neche anwu:
"Che nche, kpe."

4. Ge nti olu ndi-nmeri;
Ha nele ayi n'ogu-ayi
Ha ji otu olu si
“Che nche, kpe.”
5. Nu olu Onye-nwe-gi,
Onye i huru n'anya;
Zob' okwu-Ya n'obi-gi;
“Che nche, kpe.”
6. Che, dika na nani ya,
G'enye i nmeri n'ogu-gi;
Kpe, k'iye aka we bia;
“Che nche, kpe.” *Amen.*

Seek ye first, not earthly pleasure

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Matiu 6:33

1. B'uzo chø, ø bugh ih'uwa,
Qñu n'aku nke nagafe;
M'ihu-n'anya nenwagh atu,
Chønu nka!
2. Achøla otuto uwa,
Qchichø nke nabagh n'ihe;
Kama chø nkpa obi,
Chønu nka!
3. Chø ngøzi n'udo Chineke—
Inwe ndia b'inwe ihe dum!
Bia nekwuputa njø-unu;
Chønu Ya!

4. Chọnu Ya, k'Q gbaghār' unu,
Me unu-ndi nketa igwe,
Werenu ndu unu nye Ya,
Chọnu nka!

5. Ch'obibia nke al'eze-Ya;
Chọnu k'azoputa madu—
K'akpobata ha nye Jisus:
Chọnu nka!

6. Chọnu nka n'anwa nkwa nke-Ya;
Q d'ike, n'egbo nkpa nile;
Ih'igwe-nadabere Ya—
Chọnu ha! Amen.

68

Joy fills our inmost heart today

Matiu 1:23

1. Qñu juru obi-ayi ta;
Amuru Nwa Eze:
Usu ndi-m'ozi nañuri
N'ihi obibia Ya ta.

*Chorus:- Nuria qñu! Nwa Chineke
Biara ibi n'uwa;
Q digh aha tókari nka:—
Immanuel.*

2. Ayi n'egbu ikpere nye Ya,
Neto, nasopuru,
Mgbe ayi huru Gi n'aka nne-I,
Gi Nwa nke Chineke.

3. Gi ihe anekegh eke,
Mukwas' ayi, Nwa di nsø;
K'ayi we hu amara Gi.
N'efe I.n'obi-ocha. *Amen.*

According to thy gracious word

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Luk 22:19

1. Jisus, dik'Okwu-Gi si di,
N'obi-ume-ala,
Nka ka m'geme, Onye nwuru,
Agamecheta Gi.
2. Aru-Gi anyawara nyem,
Gabu nrim si n'igwe;
Agamañu n'iko ngɔzi-I,
Were ya cheta Gi.
3. M'ganechefu Getsemane?
M'gahu igba-ngba-Gi,
N'qsus' qbara n'ahuhu-I,
Ghara icheta Gi?
4. Mgbe m'chere iru n'obe-Gi,
Lekwasi Kalvari;
Nw'aturu Chuku, Aja nkem,
Aghaghm-icheta Gi;
5. Cheta Gi, n'ihe ngbu-Gi dum,
N'ihu-n'anya-I n'arum,
Ebe ume-ndu fôduru,
Agamecheta Gi.

6. Ma mgbe Ọnum kpuchitara,
M'akpa-uchem lara,
Mgbe I gabia n'al'eze-Gi,
Jisus, biko, chetam. *Amen.*

70

All hail the power of Jesus, name

Nkpughe 19:16

S. 203

1. K'ora tobe ike Jisus,
Ka ndi m'ozi-Ya da,
Weputa okpu nke eze,
Bia me Ya Ez'ora.
2. Me Y'Eze, ndi-ama Chuku
N'eguzo n'iru Ya;
To Ya, b'Onye unu soro,
Bia me ya Ez'ora.
3. Umu Israel arɔtara,
Ndi agbatupara,
Kelenu Onye-nzoputa,
Bia me Ya Ez'ora.
4. Ndi-njø, ndi napugh ichefu
Olulu di ilu,
Nagbas'ak'unu n'ukwu-Ya,
Bia me Ya Ez'ora.
5. K'ebu nile n'asusu dum,
Naz'oku anakpø,
Buye Ya ebube nile,
Bia me Ya Ez'ora.

6. K'ayi soro ndi nsø bi n'igwe,
Da n'ala n'ukwu-Ya,
Soro n'abu ebigh-ebi,
Bia me Ya Ez'ora. *Amen.*

Praise, O praise our God and King

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Abu Qma 136:25

1. To Chineke, b'Eze-ayi;
Buanu abu otuto.

*Chorus:—N'ihi na ebere-Ya,
Nadiru mgb'ebigh-ebi.*

2. To Ya na Ya ker'anwu
K'Q nag'ije-ya mgbe dum.
3. O ker'qnwa nke neti,
N'enye ihe n'abali.
4. To ya, ya zoro miri,
K'O me ji n'ubi ru mba.
5. To Ya n'ihi nri ka nma,
Ihe-mbe dum nk'el'igwe.
6. Otuto dir'Eze-ayi,
K'uwa nile neto ya.

*Chorus:—Tobe Atø-nim'Otu,
Nna, N'Okpara na Mø Nsø. Amen*

Matiu 26:39

1. Chuku, ka m'so uzq-I,
K'ochichiri-ya ra;
Wer'aka-Gi duziem,
Røputaram uzq.
2. Q di nma m'o di njø,
Q gakachasi nma
Q gbagø, zir'ezi,
Q gedu n'iz'ike.
3. M'gagh-arør'qnqd'um'
M'nwe ike m'gagh-ekwe;
Chineke, røtaram,
Ka m'nagazi nk'øma.
4. Al'eze nke m'nacho.
Bu nke-Gi? ya mere
K'uzq-Ya buru nke-I,
Ka m'ghara ikpafu.
5. Wer'ikom mejue ya
N'qñu m'qbu n'uju;
Otu.q di Gi nma
Røtaram njø na nma.
6. Røtaram ndi-eyim,
Oriam, n'aru-ikem;
Røtaram ich'uchem,
Akum m'qb'ogbeyem.

Nroputa abugh nkem,
N'ih'uku n'ihe nta;
Bur' Onye-ndum n'ikem,
Uchem, n'ihem nile. Amen.

This is the day the Lord hath made.

73

Abu Qma 118:24

S. 272

1. Ta b'ubochi Chuku doro,
Q kpø y'oge nke-Ya;
K'igwe n'ala ñuria n'otu,
N'eto Ya n'och'eze.
2. Ta k'O si n'ønwu bilite,
Ik'Ekwensu ada;
Ta ka ndi nsø to nmeri-Ya,
N'ekwusa ike-Ya.
3. Hosanna diri Eze-ayi,
Okpara nsø Devid!
Yer'ayi aka, si n'oche-Gi.
Wetar'ayi nzøputa.
4. Ngøzi diri Ony'ahu ji
Ozi nk'amara bia;
Nke n'abia n'aha Chineke
K'Q zøputa ndi njø.
5. Hosanna! otuto kasi,
Nzukø nk'uwa g'enye;
Elu-igwe, eb'Q nachi,
Geto Ya kari nka. Amen.

Matiu 18:2

1. Ma m'biakute Jisus,
Q genyem q'nu;
Q genyem obi utø
Mgb'obim ner'uju.

Chorus:— Ma m'biakute Jisus,
Agamnaiuri;
O ji nwayø nakpo
Umu-nta dikam.

2. Ma m'biakute Jisus,
Q gakpobatam;
Q hukwaram n'anya,
Buru nmehie nkem.
3. Ma m'biakute Jisus,
Q gejidem n'aka;
Q gedurum nwayø,
Rue n'ala ka nma.
4. N'igwe mu n'umu-nta,
G'eyi uw'qcha;
Agamahu Jisus
N'al'ahu nk'ihe. *Amen.*

Abu Qma 31:15

S. 661

1. Mgbe nkem di n'aka-Gi:
Otu a ka o si tom,
Ndum, ndi-eyim, na nkpur'obim,
Ka m'rara nye n'aka-I.

2. Mgbe nkem di n'aka-Gi,
Ih'Q bula ha bu:
Ngbu n'qñu, ochichi n'ihe,
Otu o si tø Gi.

3. Mgbe nkem di n'aka-Gi,
Agaghm-atu egwu,
Nna apugh ime nwa nke-Ya.
K'ø kwa akwa n'efu.

4. Mgbe nkem di n'aka-Gi,
Jisus akpøgburu:
Aka nke nmehiem kpøpuru
Bu Onye-ndum ugbu a.

5. Mgbe nkem di n'aka-Gi;
Ka m'tukwasi I obim;
Onwu gasia, n'aka-nri-Gi
Ka m'ganø mgbe nile. *Amen.*

The great Physician now is near 76

Olu Ndi Ozi 4:12 S. 89

1. Dibia uku nø nso ugbu-a,
Jisus, Onye-ebere;
Okwu-Ya n'akasi obim;
Nuru olu Jisus!

Chorus:—Abu ndi-m'ozi nabu,
Di kw'utø n'qñu madu,
Aha nke kachasi nma;
Jisus, Onye-ngozi!

2. Agbagharawo njo-i nile:
Nuru olu nke Jisus!
Naga n'uzo igwe n'udo,
Soro Jisus bur'eze.

3. Aha-Ya n'achupu egwum,
Nani Aha nke Jisus,
O natø obim mgbe m'nanu
Aha-ngozi nke Jisus.

4. Umu-nna, sorom tobe Ya,
Tobenu Aha Jisus!
Ndinyom, welienu ol'unu,
Gozienu Aha Jisus!

5. Un'umu-ntakiri nile,
Ndi huru Jisus n'anya,
Gaza oku amara nka,
Ijere Jisus ozi.

6. Mgbe anyi garigoro n'igwe;
Ayi gahu Jisus n'elu;
Ayi ganø nso oche eze-Ya,
Neto aha nke Jisus. *Amen.*

77 *There's a call comes ringing o'er the restless wave.*

II Ndi Kɔrint 4:4

S. 1082

1. Ndi bi n'ebe di anya nakpo oku:
“Zit’ihe,...Zit’ihe”...
Igwe madu di ndi agazoputa:
“Zit’ihe,...Zit’ihe!”...

Chorus—Zit'ihe...ozi oma di ngozi!
K'Q mukwasi ebe dum!
Zit'ihe...Ozi oma di ngozi!
K'Q namu ebigh-ebi!

2. Ayi nur'oku si n'ebe di anya bia;
“Zit’ihe,...Zit’ihe!”
Onyiny’ayi k’ayi gatogbo n’iru obe;
“Zit’ihe,...Zit’ihe!”
 3. K’amara nke Jisus diri ora dum:
“Zit’ihe,...Zit’ihe!”
K’anahu ndi nke Kraist n’ebe nile:
“Zit’ihe,...Zit’ihe!”
 4. Ike agwul’ayi n’olu ihu-n’anya;
“Zit’ihe,...Zit’ihe!”
N’ichoputa madu ndi g’abu ndi-Ya;
“Zit’ihe,...Zit’ihe!” Amen.

Have you been to Jesus for the cleansing power? 78

Abu Qma 51:7

1. I jekuru Jisus n'ihi ike nsacha ?
 Asawo i n'obara nw'aturu ?
 I natukwasi obi n'amara-Ya ?
 Asawo i n'obara Nw'aturu ?

*Chorus:- Asawo i...n'qbara...
N'qbara nke n'asacha obi ?
Uwe-gi di qcha, ha n'enwu ka nzu ?
Asawo i n'obara Nw'aturu ?*

2. I nakpa nso Onye-nzoputa mgbe dum?
Asawo i n'qbara Nw'aturu
I nezu ike n'Onye akpogburu?
Asawo i n'qbara Nw'aturu?
3. Mgbe Jesus gabia, uwe-gi ganenwu
Nk'oma nim'qbara Nwa aturu?
Obi gi jiker'iba n'ulo ihe?
Asawo i n'qbara Nw'aturu?
4. Wezuga uwe-i nke nmehie meruru,
Kwe k'asa i n'qbara Nw'aturu!
Is'iyi n'eru n'ihi nkpur'obi-njø;
Kwe k'asa i n'qbara Nw'aturu!

Amen.

79 *A ruler once came to Jesus by night*

John 3:3

S. 366

1. Ony'isi jekuru Jesus n'abali
K'ø jua Ya uzø nke nzoputa n'ihe,
Ony'ozizi-ayi zara ya nk'oma, si,
“Aghagh im'un'qzø!”

Chorus:—“Aghagh im'un'qzø!
Aghagh im'un'qzø!
N'ezie, n'ezie, agyawom i si
Aghagh im'un'qzø.”

2. Umu madu ñanu nti n'okwu ahu
Nke Jesus, bu Onye-nw'ayi, kwusir'ike;
Ekwela k'ozi-oma nka buru n'efu:
“Aghagh im'un'qzø!”

3. Unu ndi nach'iba n'izike nka
 Soro ndi agbaputara bua abu
 M'asi n'unu g'enwe ndu ebigh
 M'asi n'unu g'enwe ndu ebigh
 "Aghagh im'un'ozq!"

4. Onye i huru n'anya, Nk'obi-i nachq,
 Nq nechere gi n'on'uzq el'igwe;
 Ge ntí n'olu idq-aka-na-ntí nka:
 "Aghagh im'un'ozq!" Amen.

What can wash away my stain ? 80

I Pita 1:18, 19 S. 874

1. Gini gasachapu njom ?
 Nani qbara nke Jisus !
 Gini g'eme ka m'nwe ndu ?
 Nani qbara nke Jisus.

Chorus:—Qbara nke Jisus
 Bu ihe ok'qnu!
 Nani ya gasacham
 Nani qbara nke Jisus!

2. Nka bu ihe-nsacha nkem!
 Nani qbara nke Jisus!
 Ngbagharam di nime nka:
 Nani Qbara nke Jisus!

3. Q digh nkpuichi-nmehie di:
 Nani qbara nke Jisus!
 Qlu qmam bu n'efu:
 Nani qbara nke Jisus!

- Nka bu ezi-omumem!
Nani Ọbara nke Jisus!
Ntukwasi-obim n'udom:
Nani Ọbara nke Jisus! *Amen.*

81 *O what a Saviour that He died for me*

Jọn 6:47

S. 359

- Onye-nzoputa: O nwuru n'ihi m!
O mewo ka m'si n'amam-ikpe pua;
“Onye kwere n’Okpara,” k'o kwuru,
“Nwe ndu ebigh-ebi.”

Chorus:—“N’ezie, n’ezie, agwam unu, si,”
“N’ezie, n’ezie,” Ọbu Ozi Qma!
“Onye kwere n’Okpara,”—O b’ezie,
“Nwe ndu ebigh-ebi!”

- Nmehie nkem nile dakwasiri Ya;
Ugwọ nile ka m’ji k’Q kwusiri,
Ndi kwere na Ya, k’Onye-nw’ayi siri,
“Nwe ndu ebigh-ebi.”
- Abum ogbeye ma m’dabere Ya,
Onye-nmehie, ma n’kwere okwu -Ya;
Le, Ozi Qma! umu Chuku dum,
“Nwe ndu ebigh-ebi.”
- Ekwesighm, mi’agaghm-enwe obi abu a;
Ọ gagh, achupu onye nke n’abia,
“Onye kwere”—zisa Ozi Qma;—
“Nwe ndu ebigh-ebi.” *Amen.*

Matiu 4:19-20

S. 762

1. Jisus n'akpø ayi! n'ebili
Nke osimiri ndu-ayi,
Olu-Ya n'ada mgbe dum si:
“Gi onye nkem nesokwam.”
2. Otu ndi-ozzi Ya nuru ya
N'usø miri Galili,
Ha rapuru ihe nile
N'ihi ezi aha Ya.
3. Jisus nakpø ayi k'ayi rapu
Aku nk'uwa efu nka
N'arusi dum nejide ayi
Nasi “Hukarim n'anya!”
4. Nim'qñu, ma nim'ahuhu,
Nim'olu, ma n'iz'ike,
Qnakpø ayi, si, “Onye nkem,
Hum n'anya kar'ihe ndia.”
5. Jisus nakpø ayi! n'ebere-I
Me k'ayi nuru olu-Gi,
K'ayi nye obi-ayi n'ozi-Gi,
Hu kwa I n'anya karisia. *Amen.*

Let the children come

83

Luk 18:16

1. K'umu-ntakiri bia!
Ka ha biakutem!
Gwa ha ihu-n'anyam!
Ha gabiaikutem.

*Chorus:—K'umu-ntakiri bia!
Ka ha biakutem!
Nu ikpo-oku-Ya;
Kaha biakutem!*

2. K'umu-ntakiri bia!
Jide ha n'aka,
Egbochi-kwa-la ha;
Nka bu iwu nkem.

N'ihi ha m'rapuru
Ulo nkem n'igwe,
Anwurum n'ihi ha;
Ugbu a m'nacho ha.

4. K'umu-ntakiri bia
N'ulo nkem n'elu!
Zi umu-ntakiri
Ezi uzø ndu! *Amen.*

1. Ony'øbia nø n'øn'uzø:
K'ø bata!
Q nabia site na mbu:
K'Q bata!
K'Q bata tutu Q la,
K'Onye Nsq ahu bata,
Jisus Kraist, Qkpara Nna:
K'Q bata!

2. Meghe obi-gi nye Ya
 K'Q bata!
 Q gala mgbe i nechere:
 K'Q bata!
 K'Q bata: Q bu Eyi-i,
 Q galuru gi Ọgu,
 Q gechebe i mgbe nile:
 K'Q bata!
3. Ge nti n'olu-Ya ugbu a!
 K'Q bata!
 K'Q bur'Onye i rötara:
 K'Q bata!
 Q neguzo n'ọn'uzo,
 Q genye gi Ọnụ-Ya,
 Iganeto Aha-Ya;
 K'Q bata!
4. Kpobata Ọbia nk'igwe;
 K'Q bata!
 Q gemere i oriri:
 K'Q bata!
 Q gagbaghara njo-gi,
 Mgbe ndu-i n'uwa nka gagwu
 Q gekuru i la n'igwe:
 K'Q bata!

Amen.

Hark my soul it is the Lord

85

John 21:15 S. 365

1. Obim! nu, Q bu Jisus;
 Nu olu Onye-nwe-gi!
 Jisus nekwu nasi gi,
 Onye-njo i hum n'anya ?

2. Atópurum gi n'agbu,
Agwópurum onya-gi,
Mgbe i nakpafu, M'chotara i,
Me k'ochichi-i ghø ihe.

3. Nwayi puru ichezø
Nw'afø ya nke ø muru ?
Ike kwe ø gechezø,
Ma agamecheta gi.

4. Ihu-n'anya di mgbe dum,
Ø kasi ihe n'elu,
Ø kasi ihe n'oogbu,
Ø di'ke kari ønwu.

5. I gahu otuto nkem
Mgb'olu amara gagwu;
I gesom nø n'oche ezem:
Onye njø-i hum n'anya ?

6. Jisus, ihe m'nakwa bu,
N'ihu n'anyam jur'oyi;
M'anamasopuru Gi;
Me ka m'hu I n'anya kari! *Amen.*

1. Ike gwuru i, i dara mba,
Ibu nanyigbu i?
Otu onye si "Biakutem,
Zur'ike!"

2. O di akara n'aru-Ya,
M'geji mara Ya?
Apa di n'aka n'ukwu-Ya,
N'akuku!

2. O di okpu, dika nk'eze,
O kpuru n'isi?
E. O nekpu okpu n'ezie,
Ma nk'ogwu!

4. Ma m'chota Ya, ma m'soro Ya,
Gini gab'uru?
Otutu olu n'ahuhu,
N'ikw'akwa!

5. Ma m'jis'ike sogide Ya,
Gini n'ikp'azu?
Luzue olu, merie ahuhu,
Rue igwe!

6. M'riq Ya k'Q naram n'onwe-Ya,
Q gajum aju?
E-e, rue mgbe uwa n'igwe,
Gwusiri!

7. Ma m'chota Ya, sogide Ya,
Q gagozikwam?
Ndi-Nsø na Ndi Ozi nile
Naza E!

Come ye sinners. Poor and wretched. 87

Matiu 9:13

S 376

1. Bianu, ndi-nmehie fur'efu,
Ndi Ogbeye nadigh ike:

Jesus nacho izop' unu,
O juru n'ihu-n'anya,
O di ike,
O kwerewo; bianu ta!

2. Me ngwa, bianu ndi nkpa nakpa,
Nar'ebere Chineke;
Ezi ncheghari, n'okwukwe,
N'onyiny'amara nile,
Bianu, nara,
N'aka Jesus Kraist n'efu!
3. Bianu, unu nd'ike gwuru,
Ndi ɔdida rur'aru,
M'unu chere k'unu di nma
Q digh mgbe unu gabia.
Jesus nakpo!
Ndi, oqo Q bugh ndi oma!
4. Le onye rigoro n'igwe
Ji ɔbara-Ya n'ario;
Tukwasu Ya obi-unu,
Atukwasil'ony'ozq.
Nani Jesus!
Puru ime ndi-njo nma!
5. Ndi nsq na ndi-m'ozi nile,
N'eto Nw'aturu Chuku,
N'eb'obibi nile n'igwe
Ude aha Ya nada.
Haleluya!
Ndi-njo g'eto Ya n'uwa! Amen.

I Jọn 4:19

S. 1155

1. Jisus Kraist hurum n'anya!
Bible Nsø nagwam otu a,
Umu-nta bu ndi nke-Ya,
H'adigh ike, m'Q d'ike.

Chorus:—Q hurum n'anya!
Q hurum n'anya!
Q hurum n'anya!
Bible nagwam otu a.

2. Jisus Kraist hurum n'anya!
Q nwuru k' emegh' igwe;
Q gasachapu nmehiem,
Kwe ka nwa-nta-Ya bata.
3. Jisus Kraist hurum n'anya!
Mgb'ike gwurum na nririam,
Q gesi n'och'eze-Ya,
Bia chebem n'ebé m'dina.
4. Jisus Kraist hurum n'anya!
Q ganø nsom n'uzøm dum;
Ma m'hu Ya n'anya n'ezie,
Q gakpolagam n'igwe. *Amen.*

Do you know what makes us happy?

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Abu Qma 149

1. I mawo isi qnú-ayi,
Mgb'igwe madu ner'uju?
Ayi bu ndi-eyi nta Jisus,
Ya mere k'ayi nañuri!

Chorus:—Ayi bu ndi eyi-Ya,
Nahu Ya n'anya;
Ayi bu ndi eyi Jesus, ndi nañuri qñu
Ayi bu ndi-eyi Ya,
Nahu Ya n'anya;
Ayi nq n'qñu mgbe nile!

2. Jesus huru umu-nta n'anya—
Q nagwa ha n'Okwu-Ya;
Ot'ubochi O kuru ha
N'aka-Ya we gozie ha.
3. Ayi bu umu-aturu-Ya,
Q bu Onye-nche qma;
N'obi k'ayi n'anu olu-Ya,
Q b'ezie n'ayi ahugh Ya. *Amen.*

90

It is a thing most wonderful

I Jon 4:10

1. Q bu ihe di ebube,
Di ebube kari uche,
Na Nwa Chuku si n'igwe bia
We nwu a n'ihi nwata dika m.
2. M'amaram n'q bu ezi okwu;
Q ror' qnodu ogbeye,
We lua qlu, rue uju, nwu a;
N'ihi ndi n'ahugh Ya n'anya.
3. Amataghm otu O ji hu
Nwata n'adigh ike n'anya;
Ihu-n'anya-Ya zur'oke,
Eb'Q nwuru igbaputam.

4. Anamech'echiche nk'obe,
Mechi'anya, nacho ka m'cheta
Okpu ogwu na ntu ojo,
Na Kraist akpogburu n'ihiim.
 5. M'asi na m'huru onwu-Ya,
Agamahu nani nwanti
Nk'ihu-n'anya uku nenwu
Dik'oku n'obi-Ya mgbe dum.
 6. O di ebube imata
Ihu-n'anya-Ya n'ebe m'no;
Ma nkem kariri ebube!
O digh ike, O juru oy!
 7. Ma m'nacho ihu Gi n'anya,
Jesus, muy'oku nim'obim,
Ka m'nuh Gi n'anya kari,
Rue mgbe m'gahu Gi k'I si di. Amen.

Abide with me fast falls the eventide

91

Luk 24:29

S. 297

1. Noyerem: O rebuwo anyasi;
Qchichi nagba, Jisus n'oyerem;
Mgb'iye-aka na nkasi gwusiri,
Gi, Iye-aka nkem, bia noyerem.
 2. Ubochi ndu-ayi nagafe ngwa ngwa,
Qñu n'otuto nk'uwa nka nefe;
Ngbanwe n'ure di n'akuku nile:
Gi, Onye n'enwegrh ngbanwe noyerem.

3. Abiala n'egwu, dik'Eze nk'igwe,
Kama, bia n'obi ọma igw'oria dum;
Gi, Onye-nkasi-obi n'ahuhu.
Eyi nke ndi-nmehie, bia noyerem.

 4. O dim nkpa k'I noyerem mgbe nile,
Nani amara-I ganyi Ekwensu,
Onye dika Gi gabu Onye-ndum ?
N'udu-miri, n'okochi, noyerem.

 5. M'I noyerem m'gagh-atu ujọ nd'iro;
Nsogbu n'anya-miri adigh ilu;
Qnwu, ole ebe nmeri-gi di?
Anom nemeri ma Gi noyerem.

 6. Gosim obe-I mgbe m'gekpuchi anyam,
Nenwu na ngbach, zim uzọ nk'igwe
Ch'igwe nabọ onyinyo uw'aga;
Na ndu, n'ọnwu, Onye-nwem n'oyerem.
- Amen.*

92 *O Lord of heaven and earth and sea*
I Ihe Emere 29:14

1. Chineke nk'el'igwe n'ala,
Otuto nile diri Gi!
Ayi gesi aña kele Gi,
Ony'onyinye!

2. Anwu na miri, n'ikuku,
Negosi ihu-n'anya-Gi;
I nọ n'owuwe-ih'ubi,
Ony'onyinye!

3. N'ihi udo n'aru-ike—
N'ihi ngozi nile nk'uwa,
Ekele n'otuto diri Gi,
Ony'onyinye!

 4. I zodogh nani otu Nwa-I,
M'I nyere Ya n'ihi uwa,
We sor'Onye ngozi-ahu,
Nye ihe dum.

 5. Ichø nani nk'ayi bu iyi!
O buaku gadi mgbe dum:
Ih'obula ayi genye Gi,
Ony'onyinye!

 6. Nna, ayi biye I.ih'obula,
I gakwu ayi ugwo nk'uku;
Ayi geji obi utø nye Gi,
Ony'onyinye!

 7. Gi, Onye ayi nesi n'aka-I
Nwe ndu-ayi n'onyinye nile,
K'ayi biyere I ebigh-ebi,
Ony'onyinye! Amen.

Sun of my Soul Thou Saviour dear

93

Abu Qma 4:8

S. 302

1. Anwu nk'obim, Onye-nzotam,
Abal'adigh ma I nq nso;
Ekwela igw'oji nk'uwa
Zopu Gi n'anya nk'oru-Gi.

2. Mgbe ura ji nwayo natu
Anyam abua ike gwuru,
Ka m'necheta n'o di utø
Izu ike n'obi Jisus.
3. Noyerem na mgbe ehiwie:
M'Q bugh Gi, apughm idi ndu;
Noyerem mgb' anyasi n'abia
Achoghm inwu ma I nogh nso.
4. O di nwa-Gi kpafuru ta,
Nekwagh inu olu nsø-Gi?
Jisus, malite olu-Gi;
Ekwela k'o dina na njø.
5. Chebe nd'oria, nye nd'ogbeye
Ngøzi si n'ulo-aku-Gi;
K'ura nke ndi ner'uju ta
Di utø k'ura nke nwata.
6. Bia, gozie ayi mgbe ayi tetara,
Tutu ayi eje ije-ayi;
Rue mgbe ayi g'ero n'el'igwe,
Biri n'ok'ihu-n'anya-Gi. *Amen.*

1. Ehiwie agawo,
Abali di nso,
Onyinyo anyasi
Nada n'ebe dum.

2. Ochichiri nagba
Kpakpando n'eti;
Anumanu nile;
Gedina n'ura.
3. Kraist, nye nd'ike gwuru,
Iz'ike utø;
Were ngozi nwayo-I
Mechieanya nkem.
4. Me k'umu-ntakiri
Rø nrø bayere I;
Chebe ndi no N'ugbo
N'oke osimiri.
5. Kasie nd'oria nile
N'eche-n'aru-ngbu
Ndi n'agb'ajø izu
Gbochie nmehie-ha.
6. Biko, mgbe chi børø
Ka m'teta n'ura
Dike, di ocha n'obi
N'anya-Gi di nsø.
7. Otuto diri Nna,
N'Qkpara nke-Ya,
Na Gi, Mø di ngozi,
Rue mgb'ebigh-ebi. *Amen.*

Lead, kindly light amid the encircling gloom 95

Jøn 8:12

1. Ihe oma, nedum nim'ochichi
Durum naga.
Chi ejiwø, ulo nkem di anya;

Durum naga.
Jide ukwum; Arioghm ka m'hu ihe.

2. Di n'iru; otu nzø-ukwu gezu.
Adighm otua na mbu, arioghm I si,
Durum naga.
Irøputa n'onwem dim nma; m'ugbua
Durum naga.
Ih'efu nk'uwa nka tørøm utø,
Nganga jur'obim: Echetala ha!
3. Otu ike-Gi si nagozim,
Gedugidem,
Gedugidem,
Gafe øhia, miri, n'øzara, rue
Mgbe chi gabø.
N'ututu m'gahu ndi m'huru n'anya
Na mgbe gar'aga, ha we lanarim.
4. N'uzø nkpa di warara, Gi onwe-I
Gabigara.
Jesus, durum n'okwukwe nke nwata.
Lakuru Nnam.
Ka m'zur'ike, m'øgu nk'uwa gwusia,
Nime ihe nke ndu ebigh-ebi. *Amen.*

Jøn 20:19.

1. Guzo n'etiti ayi,
Jesus n'ike-Gi!
Ka mgbe ekpere nka
Bur'oge di nsø.

2. Kuye ume Mọ Nsq-I
Nim'obi nile;
Si egwu na nwuta,
Pua n'obi ayi dum.

3. Ayi gej'ije-ọku
Naga n'uzo-ayi,
Nechere nmalite
Nke mgb'ebigh-ebi. *Amen.*

What a friend we have in Jesus

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Ndi Filipai 4:6

S. 319

1. Jisus bu Eyi-ayi, n'ezie,
N'ebu njọ n'ahuhu ayi!
Igwa Chineke ihe dum
N'ekpere bu ok'uru!
Ayi netuf'udo nke-uku,
N'ebu ihe-ngbu n'efu,
N'ihì n'ayi agwagh Chineke
Ihe nile n'ekpere.

2. Ayi nwere nsogbu n'ọnwunwa ?
Ihe-nwuta di nso ayi ?
K'Obi-ayi ghar'lọ miri;
Gwa Chineke n'ekpere!
Ayi g'ahu Eyi dika nka.
Nke nebu ihe-ngbu-ayi ?
Jisus mar'adigh ike-ayi:
Gwa Chineke n'ekpere!

3. Ayi bu madu nenwagh ike,
Ndi ok'ibu nanyigbu ?

Jesus bu ebe-ngbaba-ayi;
Gwa Chineke n'ekpere!
Nd'eyi-gi arapuwo Gi?
Gwa Chineke n'ekpere!
O gekuru gi n'aka-Ya,
I genwe nkasi-obi! *Amen.*

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O happy day

Nkpughe 1:5

S. 866.

1. Uböchi öñu nke dor'uchem,
N'onye nzöputam Chinekem
N'ezie k'obi ihe nka ñuria,
Kwus' öñu ya buruburu.

Chorus:—Uböchi oke öñu
Ka Jesus sachapur u njom
O zirim ikpe ekpere,
Na ñuri uböchi dum
Uböchi ok'öñu
Ka Jesus sachapur u njom.

2. Njik'öñu nke jikorø nkwam
Nye Onye Iur'ihu anyam,
K'abu öñu jup'ulo Ya
Mgbè m'naga n'ebe nsø ahu.
3. Ngbanw'uku ahu agwuwo
M'bu nk'Onye-nwem Ya buru nkem
O döröm, m'we neso kwa Ya
Nuri nekwusa ölu Ya. *Amen.*

1. Nagafe dika kpakpando ututu,
Nk'ihe-ha furu mgb' anyanwu wara;
Otu a k'ayi gesi si n'olu-uwa nka la;
Nani n'olu-ayi k'ageji chet'ayi.

Chorus:—Nani n'olu-ayi, nani n'olu-ayi,
Nani n'olu-ayi k'ageji chet'ayi,
Otu a k'ayi gesi si n'olu uwa nka la;
Nani n'olu-ayi k'ageji chet'ayi.

2. Agachø ayi ma nd'ozø ganøchi ayi,
N'aghørø nkpuru n'ubi ayi kuru ?
E, ma ndi naku nkpuru g'agwu n'olu:
Ihe-ncheta-ha g'abu olu-ha.
3. Nani ezi-okwu ayi kwuru mgb'ayi di ndu,
Nani nkpuru ayi kuru n'uwa nka:
Ndia gadigide mgb'echefusiri ayi:
Nkpuru-owuwe-ubi, n'olu-ayi.
4. Mgbe Jisus gagukø ndi nke-Ya ounu,
Mgb'ayi gekpu okpu-eze nk'ok'ounu;
Mgb'ahu k'agecheta ezi nd'oru-Ya,
Ha nile, site n'olu ha luru. *Amen.*

God is always near me.

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Abu Qma 139:10.

1. Chineke nanøm nso,
N'anu nke m'nekwu;
O masiri echichem,
Ma oun, m'egwum.

2. Chineke nənəm nso,
 N'ime abali;
 N'ahu n'ochichiri
 Dika n'ehihie.
3. Abum nwantakiri,
 Ma Chuku nəm nso,
 Okwum na echichem
 O mazuru ha. *Amen.*

101 *When the trumpet of the Lord shall sound*

Nkpughe 20:12-15.

S. 983

1. Mgbe opi Chineke gada og'agagh adi ɔzø,
 Chi-qbubø ebigh-ebi enwuputa,
 Mgbe nd'azoputara n'uwa gezukø n'ofe miri,
 N'igu akwukwø ndu agam'anø ya.

Chorus:—Mgbe agagu akwukwø ndu,
 Mgbe agagu akwukwø ndu,
 Mgbe agagu akwukwø ndu,
 N'igu akwukwø ndu agam'anø ya.

2. N'ututu oma mgbe ndi nwuru na Kraist gebili,
 Ha geket' otuto nke nbilite Ya;
 Mgbe ndi arɔputara n'uwa gezukø n'elu-igwe,
 N'igu akwukwø ndu agam'anø ya.
3. K'ayi nogide n'olu Nna si n'ututu rue n'anyasi,
 N'akø ihu-n'anya na nchebe nke Ya;
 Mgbe ihe nke ndu nka gagafé ɔlu ayi n'uwa agwu,
 N'igu akwukwø ndu agam'anø ya. *Amen.*

Olu Ndi Ozi 2:21

S. 488

1. Agabigalam, Onye-nwem,
Nuru akwa nkem;
Mgbe I nakpø ndi զօ օկու,
Agabigalam!

Chorus:—Jesus, Jesus, nuru akwa nkem;
Mgbe I nakpø ndi զօ օկու,
Agabigalam!

2. Ka m'chøta n'oche-ebere-Gi
Iye aka utø;
Nada n'ukwu-I na ncheghari,
Me ka m'kwes' ike.
3. Natukwasi obi n'olu-Gi
Ka m'nachø iru-I;
Gwø զոյա n'obi-ntiwa nkem,
Zøpum n'amara-I.
4. Is'iyi nke nkasi-obim,
I kariri ndu!
Onye ka m'nwe n'uwa, n'igwe,
M'øbugh nani Gi ? Amen.

Luk 2:11

S. 75

1. Onye biara n'uwa nka?
Kraist, Onye-nzøputa ayi!
Amuru ka nw'ogbeye?
Kraist, Onye-nzøputa ayi!

Chorus:—Kwesienu abu ike—
Nzoputa adiwo nso;
Udi-Ya enwagh atu
Kraist, Onye-nzoputa ayi.

2. Onye akpogburu n'obe?
Kraist, Onye-nzoputa ayi!
K'O gbaputa mu na gi?
Kraist, Onye-nzoputa ayi!
3. Onye kwere nbaghara ?
Kraist, Onye-nzoputa ayi!
Onye si, "kwere, di ndu?"
Kraist, Onye-nzoputa ayi!
4. Onye b'Eze n'elu-igwe ?
Kraist, Onye-nzoputa ayi!
Onye k'ayi g'ahu n'anwa?
Kraist, onye-nzoputa ayi!
5. Onye g'abia kwa ozø ?
Kraist, Onye-nzoputa ayi!
Kporø ndi-Ya la n'igwe?
Kraist, Onye-nzoputa ayi! *Amen.*

104 *The whole world was lost in the darkness of sin*

Jøn 12:46

S. 417

1. Uwa nile furu n'ochichiri njø;
Ihe nke uwa bu Jisus!
Ebube ya n'amubata dik'anwu;
Ihe nke uwa bu Jisus!

Chorus—Biakute ihe, O diri Gi;
Ihe ahu amukwasiwom;
Mbu isi di, ma ahum uzø ta!
Ihe nke uwa bu Jisus!

2. Ayi ndi nq na Jisus enwegh ochichi;
Ihe nke uwa bu Jisus!
Ayi n'aga n'ihe so Onye-ndu-ayi,
Ihe nke uwa bu Jisus!
3. Unu ndi kpuru isi, na nmehie unu;
Ihe nke uwa bu Jisus!
K'O sacha obi-unu ka ihe we di;
Ihe nke uwa bu Jisus!
4. Nkpa ihe anyanwu adigh n'elu-igwe;
Ihe nke igwe bu Jisus!
Nwa aturu bu ihe n'obodo Qla-edo;
Ihe nke igwe bu Jisus!

While shepherds watched their flocks by night? 105

Luk 2:8

S. 33

1. Ndi nazu aturu neche
Aturu n'abali,
Mo-ozzi we bia guzo ha nso
Ebube Nna-ayi muba.
2. "Atula egwu," O siri,
Ka egwu n'atu ha,
"Ozi-Qma nke oke qñu
Ka m'nezi unu dum."

3. "Ta nime, obodo nke Devid,
Ka amuru nye unu
Onye-nzoputa nke bu Kraist;
Nka bu iriba ama:—
4. "Unu gahu nwa ekere
Nime akwa-okike,
Dina n'ihe anetiye
Nri nke anu-ulو".
5. Otua k'o kwuru; le, ha hu
Igwe nke ndi mq-ozzi,
Ndi naja Chineke n'otu;
Ha buba abu, si:—
6. "Otuto diri Chineke
N'ebé kasi elu,
Udo n'wa nime madu
Ihe ha di Ya nma." *Amen.*

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Loving Saviour, hear my cry

Abu Qma 88:1

S. (O.E.) 230

1. Jisus, Jisus nur'olum,
Nur'olum, nur'olum
Obu Gi ka m'dabere,
Si n'obe-I zoputam,
Emehiewom, m'I nwuwo;
Inwuwo; Inwuwo;
Kwe ka m'zoro n'ebere-I,
Si n'obe-I zoputam.

*Chorus:— Eze Jisus, werem,
M'gagh-eme-wuta Gi,
Onye nzoputa nkem,
Si n'obe-I zoputam.*

2. M'nala n'iyi m'gekpere Gi,
 Kpere Gi, kpere Gi,
 Gi bu ezi Uzo ndu,
 Si n'obe-I zoputam.
 I nenyenye amara-Gi
 Amara-I, amara-I
 Jesus, merem ebere,
 Si n'obe-I zoputam.
3. Biko, sacham n'obara-I,
 N'obara I, n'obara-I,
 Tuyem n'obe O neru,
 Si n'obe-I zoputam
 Okwukwe g'enye udo,
 Nye udo, Nye udo;
 N'okwukwe nka ka m'biara
 Si n'obe-I zoputam. *Amen.*

Blessed be the Fountain of Blood

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Abu Qma 51: S. 113

1. Obara Jesus di ngɔzi,
 Nke ewere nye ndi ojo.
 Ngɔzi diri Nwa Chineke,
 Obu ɔnwu Ya zoput'ayi.
 Obu ezie ejehiewom,
 Sacham n'obara Nwa-aturu
 Agam adi ɔcha kari snow!

Chorus:—Ocha kari snow.....
 Ocha.....kari snow.....
 Sacham n'obara Nwa-aturu,
 Agam adi ɔcha kari snow!

2. Okpu-eze-Ya bu ogwu,
Obe Ya nyigbur'aru-Ya,
Ibu obi ya di arø;
Ma Q hugh ahuhu n'efu.
Ka mgbakur'øbara Jisus,
K'ewe sacham nmehiem nile
Sacham n'øbara Nwa-aturu;
Agam adi øcha kari snow.

3. Nna, ejehiewom n'uzø-Gi
Obim kpafuru akpafu;
Nmehiem n'eji nji dika unyi—
Miri apugh isacha ya.
Jisus, Gi bu isi iyi,
Qbu Gi ka mgbakutere,
Were nsacha nke Gi sacham,
Agam adi øcha kari snow. *Amen.*

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Great God, the Nations of the earth

Mak 16:15

1. Chineke, mba dum di n'uwa,
Qbu Gi kere ha;
N'ølu Gi nke øra nahu
Otuto Gi neti.

2. Nna-ayi ebere Gi zitere
Ozi-øma Gi n'uwa,
We gosi obi-øma uku,
Nke juru uche Gi.

3. Ole mgbe ka ozi-øma
G'agbasa n'elu-uwa ?

**Obodo nile madu bi
Ewe nu olu-Ya ?**

4. Ole mgbe umu Africa
Gaña nti Ozi nka ?
Ndi nq n'oru mgbe di anya
We ghø ndi Chineke ?
5. Ole mgbe ka ndi mba զզ
Ndi nq n'ochichiri,
G'anq n'ukwu Immanuel,
We muta okwu Ya ?
6. Nna ayi biko yere ayi aka,
N'igbasa okwu-Gi,
Tikpo ulo arusi dum
Wukwasi ha Ulo-I. *Amen.*

Far far away in heathen darkness dwelling **109**

Matiu 28:I8 S. 1090

1. Na nso ulo ka madu bi n'ochichi,
Bu qtutu ndi namagh Jisus Kraist.
Onye g'eje izisa Ozi-Qma,
Nañagh nti lekwasi Jisus anya ?

Chorus:—Enyesiwom ike nile!
Enyesiwom ike nile!
Jebenu n'ebe nile zienu Ozi-Qma
Mu na unu nq mgbe nile.

- 2 Le, emeghere uzq n'ariq ayi bia:
Ndi-agha nke Kraist, ngwa k'ayi ba ha ime!

Ndi Kristian, tetanu! ayi nile yiri
Zisa Ozi-oma kpopu ọgba nmehie!

3. N'ihi gini kà unu g'anwù anwu ?
 Obu Chineke nekwu okwu nka
 Jesus nwuru k'ozoputa ayi n'ajò ọnwu
 Jenu, zisa ozi ndu ebigh-ebi.
4. Chineke me ngwa mgbe mba dum gabu si,
 "Otuto nile diri Chineke."
 Mgbe ha gaiuri ọnu na nzoputa
 Tie nkpu, "Halleluya, Jesus bu Eze!" Amen.

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Jesus receives sinners

Luk 15:2

S. 390

1. Jesus newere ndi njo!
 Kwusa okwu ọma nka
 Gwa ndi rapur'uzo ndu,
 Ndi nile nke dar'ada!

Chorus:—Bukwasi.....abu nke Nna:
 Kraist newe.....re ndi ojo,
 Kwuwa Okwu ọma nka.....
 Kraist newere ndi ojo!

2. Bia, O genye i izu-ike,
 Tukwasi Ya obi-Gi.
 O nacho ndi kasi njo,
 Kraist newere ndi ojo.
3. Obim ama-kwa-ghm ikpe,
 Asapuwom na nmehiem;

Onye mere ka m'di ọcha
Ya debezuru iwu.

4. Kraist newere ndi ojø,
Mu onwem na nmehiem dum;
Ọ gasachapu nmehiem,
Mem ka m'so ba n'igwe. *Amen.*

Who bade thee worship idols ?

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I Ndi Kɔrint 8:4

1. Onye si i kper'arusi ?
Ayi neme ka nna ayi mere;
Nna i gbue madu igeegbu ?
Onye si i kper'arusi ?
2. Ndi dibia narafu gi:
Si gi nye arusi nri:
Gwam ma ozu neri nri
Ndi dibia narafu gi.
3. Nani Jesus bu dibia
Nke newepu njø n'obi;
Nani Ya nenye ayi ndu
Nani Jesus bu dibia. *Amen.*

Come every soul by sin oppressed

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Olu Ndi Ozi 16:31

S. 392

1. Bia, nkpuru obi njø n'anyigbu,
Chuku ji ebere;
Ọ ghagh inye gi izu ike
M'itukwasi Y'obi.

Chorus:—Tukwasi Ya, tukwasi Ya
Obi-gi ugbua!
Ogazopu i, Ogazopu i!
Zoputa i ugbua.

2. Jisus wusir'qbara-Ya
K'Q nye ngodzi n'uju;
Biaye onwe-i n'qbara-Ya
Nasacha dika snow.
3. Jisus b'Ezi-okwu na Uzø
Neduba i n'izu-ike;
Kwere na Ya, anol'odu
I geju na ngodzi.
4. Bia, soro nzukø nka di nsø
N'ijeru n'otuto;
I bi n'ala ebigh-ebi
Ebe qñu n'eru. *Amen.*

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Once again the Gospel message

Ndi Efesøs 3:17

S. 381

1. Inuwo kwa Ozi-qma
N'aka Onye-nzoputa ayi
I gege nti n'oku ahu?
I gabia chøba Jisus ?

Chorus:—Bia n'okwukwe bia n'okwukwe!
Bia, le Jisus, k'idi ndu!
Bia n'okwukwe! bia n'okwukwe!
Bia, le Jisus, k'idi ndu!

2. I lara ọkọchi-n'iyi,
I hur'owuwe ihe-ubi
Udu-miri gabigara,
M'I nanq na nmehie-gi.
3. Jisus n'eche k'i rorø Ya;
Che uche i anqla ọdu!
Mq Nsq nejisi ike ubua,
Chøba Onye-nzoputa i.
4. Echela na i gekwesi;
Anwala k'q metu gi;
Obu nani ntukwasi obi
Geme k'i nwe Mq Nsq Ya.
5. Were uche gi-nye Chineke,
Dabere qbara Kraist;
Nelle Jisusanya n'igwe,
Tukwas'okwu-Ya obi-i. Amen.

Father, I stretch my hands to thee 114

Ndi Rom 5:8

S. 493

1. Nna, esetirim I akam;
Amaghm Onye ozo;
I wezuga onwe-I n'arum,
Ol'ebem'geje kwa?

Chorus:—Ekwerewom, ekwerewom,
Na Jisus nwururum;
Obara-Ya di oke ọnun
Ka m'geji pua na njø.

2. Le, ahuhu Jisus huru
Tutu amuam n'uwa!
K'Q we zoputa nkpuru obim,
N'qnwu ebigh-ebi!
3. Jisus, qburu na m'gekwe,
M'gamata ike-Gi;
I gegborom ihe nile,
Na mgbe ebere nka.
4. Gi, onye nenyen okwukwe
Gi ka m'nele anya;
Biko, nyem okwukwe ugbua,
K'obim ghara inwu. *Amen.*

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Trusting in the Lord thy God

Ndi Filipai 3:14

S. 804

1. Tukwas'obi i na Chuku,
Ga n'iru! ga n'iru!
Jisie ike nkwa nke Ya,
Ga n'iru!
Ajula aha nke Ya,
Ma o me gi ihere;
N'ezisa ude nke-Ya,
Ga n'iru!
2. O kpotawo gi n'olu?
Ga n'iru! ga n'iru!
Ugbua jere Ya ozi
Ga n'iru!
Were ihu-n'anya fe ya;
Dabere n'ike-Ya;
Neguzosi ike mgbe dum,
Ga n'iru!

3. O nyewo i nkpuru oma ?
 Ga n'iru ! ga n'iru !
 Kua, i gaghorta ozq ;
 Ga n'iru !
 Je n'qnu uzq Onye-nwe-i ;
 Neché kwa nche n'ebe ahu ;
 O ganu, ekpere gi ,
 Ga n'iru !
4. O siwo na olu ebie ?
 Ga n'iru ! ga n'iru !
 Were egwu je ozi-Ya ,
 Ga n'iru !
 Kraist bu oke-i na ike-i ,
 Ya bu nri igwe n'uzq-i ;
 O geduba i n'otuto ;
 Ga n'iru !
5. Na nwa mgbe ntakiri nka ,
 Ga n'iru ! ga n'iru !
 N'uzq-i nile mara Ya ;
 Ga n'iru !
 K'uche-Ya di nime gi ;
 K'ihe O chorq di i nma ;
 Na ndu na n'ipu-n'oru ;
 Ga n'iru ! Amen .

O blessed Saviour, Friend Divine

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Jon 15:5

1. Jisus di ngozi, Eyi nkem
 M'gesi ana rapu Gi ?
 O digh ihu n'anya ka nke I ,
 M'gesi ana rapu Gi ?

Chorus:—Ihu-n'anya-I di ebube;
M'gesi aña rapu Gi ?
Jesus nkem, I nwuru n'ihim;
M'gesi aña rapu Gi ?

2. Me ka m' mar'ihu-n'anya-Gi
M'gesi aña rapu Gi ?
Agameso I n'ebe nile;
M'gesi aña rapu Gi ?
3. Apughm ije ije nanim;
M'gesi aña rapu Gi ?
Biko dom nsø ka m'buru nke-I
M'gesi aña rapu Gi ?
4. Gi dubem rue mgbe ndum gagwu
M'gesi aña rapu Gi ?
Me ka m'rue ulo-Gi n'igwe:
M'gesi aña rapu Gi ? Amen.

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We are little Children

Jon 6:37

1. Ayi b'umu-ntakiri,
Ndi n'enwagh ike
Ma nkwa Jesus kwere
Diri ayi nile.

Chorus:—Ayi biakute Jesus,
Ayi bia chø ya ta,
Ayi g'abu ndi-eyi-nke-Ya,
Otu a k'O kwuru.

2. Ayi bu ndi eyi Jisus
Obu nkwa nke Ya,
Nke di n'akwukwo Ya
Ayi ji ya nuria.
3. Ayi bu ndi eyi Jisus
Ayi neso Ya je,
O nedu ayi nke-oma
N'uzo elu-igwe.
4. K'ayi hu Jisus n'anya,
Mgbe nile nke oma;
Ayi gejekwa hu Ya,
N'ulo-ayi n'igwe. *Amen.*

I want to be like Jesus

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I Jon 3:2

1. Ogatom ma m'ye Jisus,
N'obi ume-ala;
Odigh okwu ojo ma-oli,
Si n'qunu-Ya puta.
2. Ogatom ma m'ye Jisus.
N'ekpere k'qanano;
Nani Ya nekpere Nna Ya
Ekpere n'elu ugwu.
3. Ogatom ma m'ye Jisus,
Odigh mgbe mu huru
Na O mejorø ndi iro-Ya,
Mgbe ha nesogbu Ya.

4. Ogatōm ma m'ye Jisus,
Neme nma ka ha kwue
Okwu bayerem si, "Omere
Ihe ọpuru ime."
5. Ogatōm ma m'ye Jisus,
Ọ siri, "kwerenu
K'umu-ntakiri biakutem!"
Agameje za Ya.
6. Ma eyighm Jisus ma-qli,
Ka madu dum gahu;
Jisus, nyem amara-nke Gi,
We mem ka m'di ka Gi! *Amen.*

119 *God be with you till we meet again*

Jenesis 28:15

1. Chuku noyere i k'ayi zuk'ozø,
Wer'izuzu-Ya nedu Gi,
Chebe i n'ulo-aturu-Ya;
Chuku.nçyere i k'ayi zuk'ozø!

Chorus:—K'ayi we zu! k'ayi we zu!
K'ayi zukø n'ukwu Jisus!
K'ayi we zu! k'ayi we zu!
Chuku noyere i k'ayi zuk'ozø!

2. Chuku noyere i k'ayi zuk'ozø,
Zo gi n'okpuru ndo nku-Ya,
Nenyé i nri ubochi nile:
Chuku noyere i k'ayi zuk'ozø!

3. Chuku noyere i k'ayi zuk'ozø,
Mgbe ih'egwu ndu natu gi,
Makua gi n'ihu-n'anya-Ya;
Chuku noyere i k'ayi zuk'ozø!

4. Chuku noyere i k'ayi zuk'ozø,
Wer'ota-Ya nekpuchi Gi,
Chughachi ɔnwu di n'uzø-i;
Chuku noyere i k'ayi zuk'ozø! *Amen.*

Once again before we part

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Ndi Filipai 2:11

1. Tutu ayi agbasa,
K'ayi tobe aha Jisus!
K'Qra n'ile n'uwa,
Tobe Ya n'otu olu.

Chorus:—Jisus, Eyi ndi-njo,
K'ayi nasøpuru Ya,
N'obi ihu-n'anya,
Neto Ya ebigh-ebi.

2. Jisus, okwu nke-Gi,
Gabu nri nke obi-ayi;
Ayi g'efegide Gi,
K'ayi nadi ndu n'uwa nka. *Amen.*

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